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(Per Northern Pacific Railway.)

BIRTLE, June 25.—Mrs. Bryant, of Russel, was killed by lightning on Wednesday while in the act of entering the house. Mr. Bryant, who was close by, was stunned by the shock, but recovered.

MONTREAL, June 25.—Hon. J. L. Beaudry, member of the provincial council and formerly mayor of this city for various terms, died at his residence here this morning after a brief illness. He received a stroke of paralysis about a week since. He was born at St. Aime de Plaines in 1809, and came while a youth to this city, where he became a clerk in a store. Seven years after, having saved some money, he commenced a dry goods store, amassing a fortune, and retired in 18(2.

REGINA, June 26—Lady Macdonald, accompanied by the Lieut.-Governor and Mrs. Dewdney, has been for a trip over the line of the Regina and Long Lake railway, to-day.

TORONTO, June 24.—Thomas Shortreed, senior partner of the Toronto Stone Co., was instantly killed yesterday by a falling derrick in the company's yard on the Esplanade. Mr. Shortreed came here from Barrie a short time ago.

LONDON, June 24—The Grand Trunk car-shops are being torn down. Stratford is supposed to be their future location.

HALIFAX, N. S., June 25.—A cable message received to-day from London announces that the appeal of the Windsor & Annapolis railway company in their petition of right from the Supreme Court of Canada has been allowed, and judgment rendered in favor of the company for $115,000 and costs.

KINGSTON, June 23.—On Wednesday next the last contract for convict labour in the Kingston penitentiary expires—that of Mr. L. A. Spencer, lock manufacturer. He employed 100 convicts, skilled men, and paid the government annually about $15,000 for their services. He removes the machinery.

BROADVIEW, June 25.—Three girls, aged from 8 to 14 years, daughters of William Moulding, blacksmith, of this place, were drowned from the capsizing of a boat in Weed lake to-day, three miles distant from here. The boat contained four, the eldest girl, Alice, aged 16, narrowly escaping. The bodies have not been recovered.

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POWDER

Absolutely Pure.

This powder never varies. A marvel of purity strength and wholesomeness. More economical than the ordinary kinds, and cannot be sold in competition with the multitude of low test, short weight alum or phosphate powders. *Sold only in Cans* ROYAL BAKING POWDER Co., 107 Wall St., N.Y.
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Five Years of Torture.

Mrs. U. Aston, of Bracebridge, writes to say that Burdock Blood Bitters cured her headaches, from which she had suffered for five years, all other means having failed. tu-th-sat-dw.

HIGHEST CASH PRICE PAID for LADIES' and GENTS' CAST OFF CLOTHING. Calls at private houses and hotels made daily if required. COONESS & WHITE, Johnston street, next to Jackson's Drug Store.

YESTERDAY'S DISPATCHES.

CANADA.

HALIFAX, N. B., July 4.—The American sealing schooners Geo. D. Cushing and C. B. Harrington were formally seized yesterday afternoon at Shelbourne by the captain of the Dominion cruiser Terror, and handed over to the collector of customs at that port for violation of the customs laws. The C. B. Harrington was ordered into the hands of the constables, who were placed in charge of her. The Cushing still rides at anchor alongside of the Terror, but is in charge of the collector. Neither of the three vessels seized at Shelbourne, the above two and the City Point are charged with violating the fishery laws but are simply seized for violating customs laws by coming to anchor and allowing their crews to go ashore without reporting at the customs house. The collector has telegraphed to Ottawa for instructions, and has received a reply to detain them for further particulars, which he did, and is now awaiting the decision of the department as to the amount of the fine to be imposed in the several cases.

Capt. Quigley of the Terror says he found the vessels under the circumstances above stated, and the captains of the seized vessels admit such to be the case, but say they purchased no bait, although the latter two intended to do so, having understood in several American papers that they were entitled to do so.

A Yarmouth schooner entered Shelbourne yesterday afternoon. Capt. Quigley ordered her name and port registry to be painted on the stern, which was immediately done.

ENGLAND.

LONDON, July 4.—Gladstonians are elated over the decisive character of their victories in Dundee. They are confident that they will maintain their hold on Scotland. Gladstonian agents report that the agricultural vote is safe for the ministerial party. They say that the laborer's meetings show unabated faith in Mr. Gladstone and concurrence in the belief that the granting of home rule to Ireland would relieve the English market of Irish labor.

Mr. Jesse Collings will stump the midland counties and try to persuade the laborers to the contrary. Gladstonian prospects in the metropolis are dark, as the liberal unionists are giving a warm support to the conservatives.

Kamloops Politics.

KAMLOOPS, June 28th, 1886.

Kamloops is once more coming to the front as an enterprising town, and what with the excitement of the coming election and trains running one would be led to think that Kamloops will soon be the town of the mainland. Mr. Semlin held

A MEETING

here last week which was well attended, and he spoke for a considerable time, endeavoring to impress upon the minds of those assembled that the policy of the government was far from being what it should, and he took pains to show that the action of the government in regard to the following questions was far from being satisfactory, viz.: The Fort Simpson land grab, the drydock, the Eagle Pass wagon road, and the Island railway.

Mr. Mara then explained that as he was not running for the local house he did not see why he should take an active part in affairs, but as he was supporting Mr. Martin, he thought it would be just as well to put the assertions made by Mr. Semlin in a more favorable light; he then "opened out" Mr. Semlin's assertions full to the ground. Mr. Mara used very few words in his explanation, but still his friends had the satisfaction of seeing him vanquish Mr. Martin's opponent.

CANDIDATES' MEETING.

Mr. J. T. Edwards filled the chair, and Mr. F. Vernon first took the platform and made a telling speech, and was loudly applauded on his retiring. He was then followed by "Honest Tom Roadley," who addressed the audience at such length that a few came to the conclusion that he was a living embodiment of perpetual motion, and the worst of it was that all he could say was "Jimmy McIntosh," and a few words about the lumber in the hospital, and then repeat it. At last he managed to branch off on to another item, viz., Deep Creek road. He managed to say a few words about that section of the country, but had to return to his old hobby, "Mr. McIntosh," who, he said, had got ahead of him in the hospital business. He was followed by Mr. Irwin, who made a good hit by cutting up T. R. in the latter part of his speech, and he was loudly applauded on retiring. Calls were then made for "McIntosh," who responded and said: Mr. Roadley has admitted that I got away with him on the building committee, and yet he wants to represent you in parliament. Now, it stands to reason, gentlemen, that if *one* out of three can get ahead of him, what is the use of sending him down to Victoria? Poor "Honest Tom" looked quashed, and admitted the strength of the argument. Loud calls were then made for Mr. Mara, who responded and was listened to with a great deal of interest, as it had been noised abroad about the way in which he had settled Mr. Semlin. He went after T. R. in good style, and closed his speech by asking the assistance of voters at the coming election to elect men who would not, when they were in the house, think they were in a caucus ring (a side hit at "Honest Tom). A vote of thanks to the chairman was passed and the meeting adjourned. "TELL TALE."

Easily Cured.

Mrs. Berkinshaw, 26 Pembroke St., Toronto, cured of a bad lameness of the knee joint, upon which the surgeons were about to operate. Other treatment had been tried in vain. Hagyard's Yellow Oil was the remedy used. tu-th-sat-dw

Mother Carey's Salve.

A valuable little ointment for Sores, Burns, Wounds, Piles, Fistula or Sore Bunions and Corns. Does not draw like other salves, but is soothing and cooling. 22nov LANGLEY & Co., Agents.

NEW AND SECOND-HAND CLOTHING BOUGHT AND SOLD.—Highest cash price paid for *Superfluous or Cast-off Garments, Blankets and Overcoats*. TRAVELERS having a superfluity of clothing can sell them for cash to
N. POINTER, Johnson st., near Broad.

LIVING OR DEAD by Hugh Conway at T. N. Hibben & Co.'s. ‡

DELAYED DISPATCHES.

EUROPE.

NEW YORK, July 1.—The Herald's London correspondent visited the home of Spurgeon yesterday, to inquire about the report that the leading Baptist preacher had gone over to the tories. He found Spurgeon seriously ill from over work and exposure, and unable to see any one. His secretary said that Spurgeon is much distressed and annoyed by the rumor that he has turned tory. He declares that he is still as staunch a liberal as ever, and still a devoted admirer of Gladstone, from whom he is only separated on the one great point of home rule. He distrusts the tories utterly, and fears that if they come back to office they will do everything which Spurgeon protests.

LONDON, July 1.—Michael Davitt has withdrawn from the contest in Lord Hartington's constituency, the Rosedale division of northeast Lancashire.

In the election at Colchester to-day H. J. Trotter, conservative, polled 1,996 votes, and Sir K. Causton, Gladstonian, 1,701. This is the first contested borough, and the result is considered to have special significance.

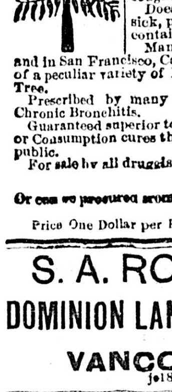
CALIFORNIA.

CARSON CITY, Nev., July 1.—Further particulars of the burning of Independence, Inyo county, reached here to day. The fire caught in a blacksmith shop at the north end of town, communicated to the courthouse and swept the entire street on both sides. Not a business house escaped. The Independent office, on a side street, was not touched. The losses are estimated as high as $400,000. Total insurance will not go over $40,000. Hardly anything was saved, as a high wind prevailed. Most of the county records were destroyed. The town numbered about 800 inhabitants and was a very flourishing village.

NEVADA.

CARSON, (Nev.), July 3.—At 4:30 this afternoon Wm. Crow, a boy sixteen years old, stepped up alongside Michael Hogan, alias Curley Hogan, and blew out his brains in front of Sweeny's saloon. Hogan died instantly. About a year ago Hogan attacked the boy with a shovel and cut off two fingers. To day the boy heard that Hogan said he would kill him on sight, hence the shooting. The boy is in jail. Hogan is a well known rancher.

MOTHER CARY'S GUM TREE COUGH SYRUP



A CURE

FOR aggravated cases of Colds, Coughs, Bronchitis, Sore Throat, Asthma, Croup and Whooping Cough, and affording relief in Consumption from coughing.

Does not make the stomach sick, pleasant to the taste, and contains no drugs or opiates.

Manufactured in Australia and in San Francisco, California, from the leaves of a peculiar variety of Eucalyptus or Blue Gum Tree.

Prescribed by many physicians in cases of Chronic Bronchitis.

Guaranteed superior to any drug, Cough Syrups or Consumption cures that are now offered to the public.

For sale by all druggists and country stores.

Or can be procured from LANGLEY & CO.

Price One Dollar per Bottle.

S. A. ROBERTS,

DOMINION LAND SURVEYOR,

VANCOUVER.

je18 1m

DRESSMAKING.

MRS. J. H. PHILLIPS

HAS JUST ARRIVED HERE FROM SAN FRANcisco and wishes to inform the Ladies of Victoria that she has now opened her Dressmaking Parlors on Government street, over Thos. Wilson's dry goods store, in old Masonic Hall, where she hopes to receive their patronage. CHARGES MODERATE.
☞ Apprentices wanted. je11 1m

— NEW —

PRODUCE AND FRUIT

MARKET.

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL OPEN ON MONday next with an assortment of Fresh Fruit and Vegetables, per Queen of the Pacific.

Farm Produce bought and sold. All kinds of Fruit and Vegetables in season. Consignments respectfully solicited. COLDWELL & KELLIHER.
Johnson st., next door west of Railroad Hotel.
je12 1m

TEACHERS' EXAMINATION.

THE ANNUAL EXAMINATION OF CANDIdates for Certificates of Qualification will be held in the Agricultural Hall.
S. D. POPE,
jy3 1w Supt. of Education.

HENRY MILLER

BEGS TO ANNOUNCE TO THE PUBLIC OF Victoria that he has opened an extensive assortment of

HATS AND CAPS,

GENT'S FURNISHING GOODS,

GLOVES AND UMBRELLAS,

IN THE

HAMLEY BUILDING, CORNER GOVERNMENT AND BROUGHTON STREETS,

NEXT TO FINLAYSON'S GROCERY.

The Goods are all of the Latest Styles from American and Canadian makers, and

Good Satisfaction at LOW Prices is Guaranteed.

FINE MANILLA STRAW HATS VERY CHEAP.
je8 1m

MEDICAL.

"A NEW ERA."

THE BENEFITS OF THE

GRAPECURE

IN AMERICA

Concentrated in one Bottle without the expense of an European Journey.

SAL-MUSCATELLE

The crystallized salts as extracted from grapes and fruit; a most wonderful product from Nature's laboratory; the greatest sovereign preparation ever placed before the American public.

Sal-Muscatelle is Nature's own product; it supplies to the weary system the want of sound, ripe grapes and fruit; it keeps the blood pure and brain clear; is a natural blessing to the fagged-out and weary, an imperative companion to business men, ladies and children. Have it in your homes, travels, summer resorts and sea-side cottages.

THE TOPIC OF THE DAY.

Sick Headache and Dyspepsia Cure.

Sal-Muscatelle is the best preventative and cure for all functional derangements of the liver, biliousness, sick headache, temporary congestion arising from alcoholic beverages, giddiness, oppression, vomiting or feeling of melancholy, ERRORS IN DIET, EATING OR DRINKING; for all accidental indigestion arising from hasty meals, nervousness impure blood, nettlerash, itching, or any other over-acid state of the blood; boils, skin eruptions, commencement of diphtheria, the effect of mercurial poisons and at the beginning of all fevers; measles, chicken pox, prickly heat, rheumatic and gouty poison due to impure blood, and sourness of stomach.

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LONDON SAL-MUSCATELLE CO.,

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AGENTS, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL,

LANGLEY & CO., THOMAS SHOTBOLT,
jel1dwly VICTORIA, B. C.

HO! FOR THE

GRANITE CREEK

MINES.

A SADDLE AND EXPRESS TRAIN

WILL LEAVE HOPE TWICE IN EACH WEEK

And oftener if business will justify. A Letter and Parcel Express to and from the Mines twice a week.

PACK HORSES MAY BE HIRED AT $10 EACH TO THE MINES.

Passengers will be carried through in Two Days.

FARE—HOPE TO GRANITE CK. $10 EACH PERSO

☞ Trains will commence running on first week in April.

☞ Freight at the Lowest Ruling Rates.

ADDRESS: ROBT. STEVENSON,
mh24dw6m Hope.

DR. JORDAN'S

MUSEUM OF ANATOMY,

751 MARKET STREET.

GO AND LEARN HOW TO AVOID disease, and how wonderfully you are made. Private office, 211 Geary street Consultation of Lost Manhood and all diseases of men. ☞ Send for book.
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JOHN BRADEN

PLUMBER & GASFITTER.

HAS REMOVED

TO HIS NEW BUILDING ON THE S. E. CORNER

Courtenay & Government Sts

One block nearer James Bay bridge than his late stand.

je1 JOHN BRADEN.

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGGNED HAVING DISPOSED OF his interest in the Empire Bakery and Grocery, requests that all moneys owing him be paid immediately and all claims against him will be settled upon presentation of bill, before the 1st July Address care of P. O. je24-3t. R. J. FLEMIMG.

VICTORIA

TRUCK AND DRAY CO.

(LIMITED.)

TELEPHONE CALL 13.

OFFICE:—Central Coal Yard,

FOOT OF JOHNSON STREET.

ARE PREPARED TO FURNISH TRUCKS, Drays and Wagons for all kinds of Transportation to and from all parts of the city.

SHIPPING carefully attended to and satisfaction guaranteed. ap7 6m

VAN HORST & CO.,

GENERAL DEALERS,

HEAD OF PANDORA STREET.

GOODS OF ALL DESCRIPTION BOUGHT AND sold for Cash or on Commission.
my28 1m

NOTICE.

THE PUBLIC ARE HEREBY CAUTIONED NOT to have any dealing with two joint and several notes, dated 4th June, given by Ballantine and McLean to R. J. Fleming; also, a chattel mortgage given as security for the said notes, as the said R. J Fleming has not fulfilled his agreement.

ROBERT WILSON,
DAVID BALLANTINE,
ALEX. McLEAN.

Victoria, June 26th, 1886. je27 2t

DENTISTRY.

A. C. WEST,

SURGEON DENTIST.

ALL OPERATIONS PERFORMED IN A SKILful manner. Dental Rooms—Denny's building, Government street. my31 1m

HOUSE

—AND—

STREET

JERSEYS

JUST RECEIVED

—AT THE—

White

House

CHEW

JACKSON'S

BEST

NAVY TOBACCO.

We call the attention of Consumers to the superior chewing qualities of this most excellent Tobacco. Samples will be sent free by applying to L. & E. WERTHEIMER, 300 AND 306 FRONT STREET, SAN FRANCISCO, CAL., Sole Agents for Pacific Coast.

The goods are for sale by all the principal jobber in British Columbia. y4dw

NOTICE.

$1000 REWARD!

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT a Reward of $1,000 will be given by the Provincial Government for such information as shall lead to the apprehension and conviction of the persons concerned in the robbery of the British Columbia Express Company's Stage, on the Cariboo Road on Saturday, the 5th June, 1886.

JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
5th June, 1886.

ANOTHER $1000!

IN ADDITION TO THE ABOVE, the British Columbia Express Company (Limited) will pay a Reward of One Thousand Dollars on the same terms and conditions.

For B. C. Express Co., Ld.,
FRANK S. BARNARD,
je8 Manager.

FREE TO MEN Who suffer from Nervous Debility, *Lost Vigor, Exhausted Vitality, etc.* A FREE TRIAL PACKAGE of the MARSTON BOLUS, together with Sealed Treatise and Testimonials, will be sent on receipt of 10 cents in stamps. MARSTON REMEDY CO., 46 West 14th Street, New York. d o-d-tu-th-sa y

FOR SALE—TO LET.

FOR SALE OR LEASE.

THE HALF-WAY HOUSE, ESQUIMALT ROAD, is offered for sale or lease. For particulars apply to *The Colonist* Office. je29 1m

TO RENT.

A SPACIOUS HALL, CORNER OF FORT AND Broad streets.
ap29 1w ALLSOP & MASON.

FOR SALE CHEAP.

A TOP BUGGY—NEW.
To be seen at Bowman's Stables, Broad street. Price on application. je22 1w

CYLINDER PRESS FOR SALE.

A HOE SINGLE CYLINDER PRESS, IN PERfect order. Takes a form 28—42. Sold because a larger press is required. For price and terms apply at *The Colonist* Office.

To be Sold---A Bargain.

A FOUR-HORSE POWER PORTABLE BOILER made by Ransome's, England. Also, 2 lengths of Hose, each 60 feet; a Cross and Tree Felling Machine with 11 Saws. Can be seen by applying to
J. M. BROWN,
jy1dw1m Burgoyne Bay.

ALLSOP & MASON,

ESTATE AGENTS

VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA,

LONDON OFFICE—2 Gresham Buildings, Guildhall

MONEY TO LOAN

ON MORTGAGE AT LOW RATES.

TOWN LOTS AND FARMING LANDS FOR SALE ON EASY TERMS.
mh18 dw

OFFICES FOR RENT.

Bank of British Columbia New Building.

SUITABLE ROOMS—EN SUITE OR SINGLE—may be had at Reasonable Terms.
mh19tf APPLY AT THE BANK.

NOTICES.

NOTICE—DIXON IRWIN BEGS TO INFORM the public that he has commenced business as Accountant, Commission and General Broker in this city. Address, Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway Co., Government street, Victoria, B. C., or Beacon Hill Park. References—Robert Dunsmuir, Esq., M.P.P., Joseph Hunter, Esq., C. E. je2

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE UNdersigned will not be responsible for any debt incurred by any person assuming to act for him, unless specially authorized (by writing signed by him) to incur the same.

A. ONDERDONK,
Yale, B.C
June 4th, 1885. je5tf

PROFESSIONAL.

PROFESSIONAL.

DURING MY ABSENCE FROM THE PROvince, my father will attend to my practice at his office, foot of Fort street.
J. D. HELMCKEN.
Victoria March 27, 1886. mh28tf

DR. HANINGTON,

FORMERLY OF YALE, B. C.

MAY BE CONSULTED PROFESSIONALLY AT the offices of the

LATE DR. ASH, FORT STREET.

OFFICE HOURS—9:30 to 11:30 a. m.
7:30 to 9:00 p. m. my27 1m

Burdock Blood Bitters.

ACTS UPON THE BOWELS, LIVER, KIDNEYS AND THE BLOOD.

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[L. S.] CLEMENT F. CORNWALL.

CANADA.

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.

To all to whom these presents shall come.—GREETING.

A PROCLAMATION.

P. Æ. IRVING, *Deputy Attorney-General.* } WHEREAS a Writ for the Election of a Member of the Legislative assembly for the Electoral District of Cassiar is about to be issued;

And whereas it is expedient that the place for the nomination of Candidates in the said Electoral District should be at Metlakatlah, in the said Electoral district;

And whereas by the "Election Regulation Act, 1871," the Governor in Council is empowered, from time to time, to appoint by Proclamation the place for the nomination of Candidates in each Electoral District;

NOW KNOW YE, that in pursuance of the powers contained in the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities in that behalf enabling, the Lieutenant-Governor in Council appoints and declares, and it is hereby appointed and declared, that Metlakatlah shall be the place for the nomination of Candidates for election to the Legislative Assembly in the Electoral District of Cassiar.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of the said Province to be hereunto affixed; WITNESS, the Honorable CLEMENT F. CORNWALL, Lieutenant-Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our said Province, this Third day of June, in the year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, and in the forty-ninth year of Our Reign.

By Command.

JNO. ROBSON,
je5 *Provincial Secretary.*

TENDERS.

NOTICE.

ESTATE OF JOHN WHITFIELD, OF NANAIMO.

TENDERS

FOR CASH OR APPROVED SECURITY WILL be received by the undersigned from July, the 7th, up to noon, on the 13th for the Stock-in-Trade and Book Debts—each separately—of the above estate. For particulars apply to

A. COWAN,
Assignee, Wharf street.
Victoria, July 5th, 1886. jy4

TENDERS.

PARTIES DESIROUS OF TENDERING FOR the erection of a

HOTEL AT VANCOUVER

For the Vancouver Improvement Company, can see the plans and specifications in the Indian Reserve Survey office, or at my office in Vancouver. Tenders to be delivered to me at Victoria, on THURSDAY, the 8th July, before 4 p. m.

The Company reserve the right of declining any tender. THOS. C. SORBY,
jy4 4t Architect, Victoria and Vancouver.

NAVAL CONTRACTS.

BISCUIT AND SOFT BREAD, SALT BEEF AND SUET, LIME, COFFINS AND GRAVES.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED ON BEHALF of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty until Noon of

Monday, 2nd August next,

For Supplying Biscuit and Soft Bread, Salt Beef and Suet, Lime, Coffins and Digging Graves for One Year certain from 1st October next.

Their Lordships do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

Forms of tender containing all particulars may be obtained at this office on written or personal application.

T. SYDNEY DOBBIN,
For Naval and Victualling Storekeeper.

Royal Naval Yard,
Esquimalt, 2nd July, 1886. jy3 1m

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UNTIL TUESday, 4 p. m., the 6th July, for the erection of a framed Parsonage House and Fence for St James Church, Victoria.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the undersigned. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. EDW'D MALLANDAINE,
Architect.
Government St., June 28th, 1886. je29

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS ARE INVITED, AND WILL BE REceived until July 6th, for the erection of a two-story framed dwelling-house on Menzies street, Victoria. Plans and specification can be seen at my office.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
H. MITCHELL,
Architect and Landscape Gardener.
Menzies st., Victoria, June 29th, 1886. je30td

NOTICE.

STONE QUARRY.

SEALED TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works up to noon of

WEDNESDAY, 7TH DAY OF JULY NEXT

From persons desirous of Leasing Croker Island, North Arm of Burrard Inlet, for the purpose of quarrying stone therefrom.

Tenders to state the annual rental proposed to paid for the privilege for a term of five years.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accept

W. S. GORE,
Surveyor General
Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, B.C., 25th June, 1886. je26dw
(Columbian copy.)

STANDING HAY.

TWO FIELDS OF GRASS CONTAINING THIRTY three acres, more or less, on Alderley Farm near Elk Lake (8 miles from town).

TENDERS will be received up to end of present month for either one field or both.

The use of barns will be given up to 1st Jan. 1887. Good Pasturage for sheep up to 1st March.

Address: WILSON BROWN,
je18 Alderley Park.

EDUCATIONAL.

CORRIG SCHOOL.

—FOR—

BOARDING & DAY PUPILS (BOYS)

WILL BE

OPENED ABOUT THE MIDDLE OF AUGUST

In that Commodious House, the property of T. L. Woods, Esq., at

ROSS BAY, VICTORIA,

Under the management of

REV. C. J. BRENTON, M. A.,

Of the University of King's College, Nova Scotia,

Assisted by Resident and Visiting Instructors.

The premises will be put in good repair, and the comfort and health of pupils carefully considered.

Further information on application to
je2 1m MR. BRENTON, New Westminster.

LORNE COLLEGE,

New Westminster.

THIS SCHOOL WILL REOPEN AFTER THE Midsummer Holidays

IN THE FIRST WEEK OF SEPTEMBER,

UNDER THE DIRECTION OF

H. FIENNES-CLINTON, ESQ., B. A.

OF KEBLE COLLEGE, OXFORD, AND BISHOP'S COLLEGE SCHOOL, LENNOXVILLE, PROVINCE OF QUEBEC.

Applications to be made to the

my15 BISHOP OF NEW WESTMINSTER.

LOST.

SAM HORSLEY LOST A BUNDLE OF CLOTHES last evening. The finder will be rewarded on leaving the same at this office. jy1

Daily Colonist

TUESDAY MORNING, JULY 6TH, 1886.

L. P. FISHER, Advertising Agent, 21 Merchants Exchange, San Francisco, is authorised to receive advertisements for the columns of this paper.

$20 REWARD

WILL BE PAID FOR THE ARREST AND conviction of any person who may steal *The Colonist* from the door of a subscriber.

FROUDE ON HOME RULE.

Mr. Froude's recent utterances on the Irish question have been the cause of a great deal of comment. So loud are they and so pointed, as indeed are all Mr. Froude's writings, that they have been regarded as the most valuable anti-home rule literature which has yet appeared. The voice of the speculative philosopher, says the London Morning Advertizer, has been very distinctly audible in the great issue still pending. The foremost names in history, in science, and in those realms of research which cannot be rigidly defined have figured in the controversy. Huxley and Tyndall, Froude and Freeman, Harrison and Arnold, have had their say on the subject. Mr. Spurgeon has vented upon it his vigorous conviction, and Mr. John Ruskin has contributed to it an opinion more picturesque than practical. The professional politician regards authority of this type as the utterances of a class contemptuously lumped together by the first Napoleon under the term "idealogists." We are told to regard their views as those of mere doctrinaires, and their convictions as things incubated in the atmosphere of the study. It is, however, to these men we must refer if we would look below the superficial aspects of the Irish difficulty. The author of "The English in Ireland" is an especially able and, upon the whole, accurate instructor. Mr. Froude's writings on the distressful country have given great offence to the enemies of the imperial connection. He has preached the doctrine of force as the true remedy for the condition which embarrasses our rule in Ireland; he has laid down in effect that what we have won with the sword we must keep with the sword, and that it is vain to hope for a cordial understanding and a common and amicable allegiance of the essentially hostile races who represent the conquerors and the conquered in the sister country. Mr. Froude has just come out with a fresh declaration on the question, in which he repeats his reasons against surrender to the demand urged by Mr. Gladstone on behalf of a section of the liberal party and of the seditious element in the Irish population. Nothing more forcible has been said on the wisdom and expediency of arming the disaffected nationalists with the power to destroy the golden link of the union, and to set up an independent and inimical nationality by the side of Great Britain, than is to be read in the latest pronouncement of a man who has traced the symptoms of Irish unrest to their sources more acutely than any other living writer, not accepting Mr. Lecky, who also steps forward as an Irishman and an historical expert to add his emphatic condemnation to the overwhelming judgment by which the theory of home rule stands discredited and denounced.

THE POLITICAL OUTLOOK.

The prospects of the government party for victory in to-morrow's fight are as bright as its best friends could desire. From every section of the province come assurances of a sweeping majority which will make the "Sicks" party even sicker, if that were possible, than it is now. In this city and district, as well as in Esquimalt, the chances of the government party for returning a full ticket are of the best. The tactics of the opposition have alienated their best friends. Having in the most shameful manner broken faith with the workingmen, they now heap abuse upon their candidates and denounce them as being sold to the government. Through their organ they have heaped abuse upon everybody who stood in their way, and have endeavoured to smirch spotless reputations. They have as well attempted to interrupt government meetings, and have shown a lack of that "English fair play" which all honest minded men love to see. They have, too, as one of their candidates for the District, chosen one who degraded the name of man on Saturday night last by his own low abuse and blasphemous tongue. To crown all they are leaderless and disorganized and have failed to secure the confidence of any large portion of the electors. The people of this province, before whom there ought to be bright future, want a government of progress, not one of stagnation, to guide the ship of state; they want sturdy, intelligent and pushing men, not a party of incapables, and they will show to-morrow that they mean to save the country from the position it was in prior to the advent of the present government to power. By side issues and unsubstantiated statements they would, if it were possible, blind the electors to the real issues at stake, the future prosperity or future downfall of this fair province. The people are, however, too intelligent to be led away by any such means and will administer to the opposition a severe rebuke at the polls. It is conceded that the present government will be returned to power. Victoria will do its full share in securing such a result. Our friends must not, however, allow over-confidence to prevent their doing their full duty by the party. Good solid work must be done until the polls close and victory is achieved.

The Late Fire.

TO THE EDITOR:—The disaster on Saturday night suggests among many other desired improvements, the following:—

1. A plentiful supply of water, without which it is almost hopeless to grapple with the fire-fiend. The water supply was very insufficient on Saturday, and only by good luck was the serious damage sustained confined to the locality where it originated.

2. The passage of a by-law to compel the removal of all wooden verandahs and to prevent their further erection. Apart from the danger they incur in spreading the fire to contiguous property, verandahs are alike unsightly and out of date.

3. A strict enforcement of, or passage of by-laws, to prohibit the accumulation of ashes, old packages, and inflammable rubbish in the rear of business premises. A visit of the firewardens to these localities might open their eyes to these menacing dangers.

In fact the protection of the city against fire is, to my mind, one of the first duties of a Municipal Council; and in throwing out these suggestions, I do so in the hope that that they may prove useful when this most important question is under consideration.

FIRE BALL.

SUBSCRIBE for *The Weekly Colonist.*

BACKED DOWN.

The Opposition Afraid to Meet the Government.

Read! Read!! Read!!!

CORRESPONDENCE.

VICTORIA, B. C., July 3rd, 1886.

ROBERT BEAVEN, ESQ.—Dear Sir: We beg to accept the invitation given by you at last night's meeting, for all the candidates to be present and address the electors at the meeting called by the opposition to be held at the Philharmonic hall on Tuesday evening next, each speaker being allowed a limited time only.

In this connection we suggest that each speaker be allowed a quarter of an hour, but the limit being a matter of detail, we will meet your views should you desire a longer time.

An impartial chairman to be either agreed upon before the meeting or chosen by the audience.

Please address an answer by 11 a. m. on Monday to Mr. S. Duck, and if agreeable, please appoint one or more on a committee to arrange details.

Yours, very truly,
THEODORE DAVIE,
ED. G. PRIOR,
S. DUCK,
J. H. TURNER.

P. S.—A copy of this communication has been sent to Messrs. Carey, Duval and Smith.

To the above was received the following:

REPLY:

VICTORIA, B. C., July 5th, 1886.

GENTLEMEN:—With reference to your letter of Saturday's date we are gratified to know that the electors will have an opportunity of hearing the opposition speakers and the government candidates together on Tuesday evening. As our invitation extends only to yourselves we are at a loss to understand your postscript with reference to Messrs. Carey, Duval and Smith. It must be obvious that eleven gentlemen could not address the electors on one evening to advantage. We name Mr. Jno. Grant on our behalf to arrange as to length of time allowed to each speaker, and other detail.

Be pleased to send me an answer to this communication to Mr. R. Lipsett's office.

Yours, very truly,
ROBERT BEAVEN,
On behalf of the opposition candidates.

To Messrs. Duck, Prior, Davie and Turner.

In consequence of this correspondence the government candidates met Mr. John Grant and Messrs. Lipsett and Mr. Williams at Mr. Lipsett's office at 1:30 this afternoon.

Objection being raised to the government's proposition, the following memo was drawn up and submitted by Mr. Duck and his colleagues.

MEMO.

Either Rithet, Earle or J. H. Todd acceptable to either party as chairman.

Proposed by government candidates,

That opposition candidates have an hour and a half to open—and government same time to answer; opposition having privilege of fifteen minutes additional to reply.

Or, let the government open with same time to opposition to answer, and fifteen minutes to government to reply.

None but candidates to speak.

To the above the following reply was received at 4 o'clock in the afternoon:

To Hon. S. Duck, Mr. Theo. Davie, and others:

GENTLEMEN—Referring to your memo. of this afternoon, I have the honor on behalf of the opposition candidates to submit the following as the course to be adopted at Tuesday evening's meeting:

That each side be allowed one hour and a half in which to address the meeting. The time mentioned to be divided in such manner as may seem best to either party. An opposition speaker to open the meeting, to be followed by a government speaker and so on alternately.

The opposition to have the right of fifteen minutes additional in which to reply to such matters as may have been advanced by previous speakers.

The speaking on either side not to be confined to candidates only.

I have the honor to be,
Yours, respectfully,
JOHN GRANT.

3:30 p. m., July 5th, 1886.

Mr. Beaven objects to the candidates of the workingmen being allowed to address the meeting because "it must be obvious that eleven gentlemen could not address the electors on one evening to advantage." Yet before the ink is dry upon the communication containing the above expression, the opposition insist upon ringing in outsiders and so prevent the candidates from expressing themselves!

Of course, the government could consent to no such monstrous proposal. The electors want to hear from the candidates, be they opposition, workingmen or government, during the few short hours intervening before the ballot has to be cast, and not from any number of noisy and loquacious aspirants whose time has not yet come and who the opposition, for lack of better material in themselves, may thrust to the front to hide their own deficiencies. The fact is, the opposition know that a complete expose of all their unfounded charges is bound to take place when face to face with their adversaries and they make their barefaced proposal so as to shirk what they themselves proposed when they inserted their advertisement in yesterday's Standard as follows:

PUBLIC MEETING.

MESSRS. BEAVEN, LIPSETT, WILLIAMS AND WRIGLESWORTH

Will meet the Electors of Victoria City on

TUESDAY EVENING, JULY 6TH,

—at—

PHILHARMONIC HALL.

Messrs. Duck, Davie, Turner and Prior are invited to a seat on the platform and to discuss the political issues. Time allowed to each speaker to be settled at the opening of the meeting.

The chair will be taken at 8 o'clock.

Not one word about outsiders is said here, but only that Messrs. Beaven, Lipsett, Williams and Wriglesworth will meet the electors.

Messrs. Duck, Davie, Prior and Turner equal to the emergency have called a mass meeting to be held at the same time as the opposition meeting, to-morrow evening, in the Theatre Comique, the adjoining building. Electors, rally! and hear a complete refutation of all opposition charges. All candidates are invited to be present and to address the meeting.

The Calegraph Type Writer

Excels all others for speed.

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THE FIRST THROUGH TRAIN

Arrives at Port Moody on Time and Meets with a Suitable Reception.

The steamer Yosemite having a very large number of excursionists on board, left this city at four o'clock on Sunday morning. The Victoria Brass Band accompanied the party and played several selections while the steamer was leaving the harbour. The day was a delightful one, and the trip was heartily enjoyed by all. At Vancouver a brief stoppage was made when additional passengers were taken on. An opportunity was afforded to view the results of the recent disastrous fire and to visit the principal points of interest. At Moodyville a short stay was made and Port Moody was reached at 11:45. At one minute past noon the eagerly looked for train arrived and was received with loud cheering by the vast assemblage. The train left Montreal on time and reached its destination only a minute behind the schedule time, one of the most remarkable feats on record, considering all the delays incident to a first through train.

The train consisted of engine, tender, baggage car, express and mail car, two emigrant sleepers, one first-class, one Pullman and Mr. Abbott's official car. The engine was number 373; Wm. Evans engineer, and Geo. Cockney fireman, and Mr. Barnbiant conductor. There were 150 overland passengers, among whom were Mr. R. Finlayson of this city, who took the train at Montreal. Mr. Dewe, chief postoffice inspector for the Dominion; Mr. McLeod, postoffice inspector for Manitoba and the northwest; Mr. Gerald E. Hart, of Montreal, manager of the Citizens' Insurance company; J. W. Driscoll, Winnipeg; Geo. H. Horn, correspondent of the Manitoban, Winnipeg; R. Woods, contractor, Winnipeg; R S. Jenkins, western superintendent of the C. P. R. telegraph service; C. P. Geddes, of the mechanical department of the C. P. R.; Thomas Simpkins, contractor on the C. P. R. for the construction of tanks, buildings, etc., in the mountains; Fred Carne, of this city; G. Ford and H. M. Samuel, of the Dominion express company and many others. These all express their unbounded delight with the overland trip, and have no doubt that the route will become highly popular from a scenic point of view. They state that the management was all that could have been desired, and are under obligations to the officials of the road for their many acts of kindness and courteous treatment. Many had never seen an engine before and regarded it, as may be supposed, with every degree of interest. Mayor Fell, in a few suitable words, presented to Mrs. Hurchburg, the first through lady passenger, a handsome bouquet, which was gracefully acknowledged.

The following address was then read by the Hon. Mr. Smithe:

To Henry S. Abbott, Esq., Supt. of the Western Division of the Canadian Pacific Railway:

SIR—On behalf of the people of the province of British Columbia I have much pleasure in presenting on this, the occasion of the arrival of the first regular train at the western sea board terminus of the Dominion of Canada this address.

Long have the people of this province looked forward to this great day; now that it has arrived, it will be regarded for all time to come as the real beginning of the country's industrial and commercial development. A new era in the history of the Dominion and the province alike will be inaugurated with this occasion, and the little stream of travel which this day, through an entirely new channel, has begun to flow into Burrard Inlet, will assume in the course of time the proportions of a mighty river.

We feel assured that the great energy and enterprise which have been shown by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, which you, sir, so worthily represent in this province, in the prosecution of the work of construction of this great transcontinental road, and the success which has attended their management on the eastern sections of the line, may be taken as indicative that nothing will be left undone by the directors which will be calculated to establish the entire road on a permanent and successful basis.

Upon the operation of this road will British Columbia depend for the opening up of the interior of the province, and the development of her great resources; and we are confident that the Canadian Pacific railway company will nobly aid us to accomplish so desirable a result, by such a liberal management as will secure the prosperous development of our interests, which will in turn secure the company's interests also.

With the great advantages over every other transcontinental line which your company possesses, we regard it as devoid of all doubt that you will be in a position to defy competition, so far as the transcontinental carrying trade is concerned. When the trans-Pacific service shall be inaugurated, and the great highway of travel and trade established between Europe and Asia, which we, with confidence, now look forward to with supreme anticipations, the Canadian Pacific railway and its connections, will be the most stupendous enterprise in the commercial world.

I beg to extend, sir, to the ladies and gentlemen who have come to us to-day from the east, either to settle amongst us or as visitors, a most hearty British Columbia welcome. So also will the people of the province welcome all who shall come after; those arriving to day being regarded as simply the vanguard of the host yet to come.

WM. SMITHE,
Premier of the Province.
JAMES FELL,
Mayor of the City of Victoria,

Hugh Nelson, Senator; R. Wolfenden, Lieut.-Colonel B. C. G. A.; Thos. Earle, S. Perry Mills, J. C. McLagan, William Charles, J. W. McLeod, W. Bloomfield, J. C. Prevost, Jno. J. Austin, Alexander Anderson, Chas. E. Redfern, J. McB. Smith, William Powers, Don. Chisholm.

Mr. Abbott replied very neatly indeed, from the car platform, being received with applause. He said among other things that the train could not be excelled either for elegance, comfort, or strength in construction. A regular service was now inaugurated and trains would now run regularly from east to west and *vice versa*. The attractions on the route of the C. P. R. were superior to those of any other transcontinental road, and large numbers of visitors would take advantage of it. He would do all he could to forward the interests of the province and of the company, and trusted that the latter's liberal policy would induce many eastern people to come west and aid in building up this great province, which has such wonderful resources. Mr. Abbott was cheered on the conclusion of his speech and the band played a selection. Mayor McLean next read an address on behalf of the corporation of Vancouver, and was followed by Colonel Scott, of Port Moody, on behalf of that town. Mr. Abbott replied briefly, and Mayor Fell, in response to loud calls, delivered one of his usual happy addresses. He said, while good-naturedly chaffing Port Moody and Vancouver as to their claims to be the terminal city, that Victoria was the actual and inevitable terminus of the C. P. R. and other Pacific roads, a remark which was received with unbounded applause. Rain began to fall and the vast crowd boarded the steamer and arrived home at 2 o'clock yesterday morning.

They had had the satisfaction of seeing the first regular train over the Canadian Pacific railroad reaching its destination only one minute behind time. This will be a memory to be handed down to their children, and to be looked back to with genuine satisfaction and delight.

The first through freight landed were two cases of express matter for A. B. Gray & Co., of this city. It was brought in by the Yosemite, having been only 152 hours on the way.

Some Good Reasons Why Mr. Beaven Should Not be Elected a Member for Victoria City.

TO THE EDITOR:—No man can serve two masters and do justice to both. This is why an act was passed to abolish dual representation. Mr. Robson has been a faithful representative of New Westminster district, but Victorians would think twice before selecting him to represent their interests, because he has large real estate investments on the mainland. A mutual compromise between the interests of the various districts will secure equal justice to all. Where a man's predominating interests are, there will his heart be also. Hence, only those whose interests run concurrent with the interests of this city can be relied upon to work honestly and without prejudice in its behalf. Mr. Beaven's interests at Port Moody completely overshadow any little interest he may have in Victoria. This is why he was so bitterly opposed to the construction of the Island railway. He well knew that the commercial and manufacturing supremacy of this city could only be retained through the speedy construction of that great work. He well knew the metropolis of the province must be Victoria, or at some point at or near the terminus of the railway on the mainland. He well knew that if the Island railway were built Victoria would spring forward in the race and be able to hold her own against all competitors; that thousands of permanent buildings would be erected, new industries established, and mechanics, laborers and others would find employment here who otherwise would have been driven to Port Moody or elsewhere, and that confidence in the future would be fully and irrevocably established. Had Mr. Beaven have been a member for New Westminster city there would have been some excuse for his opposition to the Island railway. But the man who turns traitor to the best interests of his constituency and violates the confidence of his friends is not to be relied upon. This Mr. Beaven did. Had he succeeded in his treacherous attempt to kill the Island railway, Victoria, instead of being the metropolis of the province, would have been reduced to that deplorable condition so graphically described by Lord Dufferin when endeavoring to whip us into an acceptance of the Mackenzie-Blake terms. Mr. Beaven would have increased his large fortune many millions of dollars at the expense of this city. Thanks to our representatives, however, Mr. Beaven's little game of grab has been frustrated and Victoria still lives and prospers—a little tough on Robert the lesser we admit, but the welfare of Victoria cannot be overlooked in the interests of private individuals. These remarks will apply with equal force to the extension from Port Moody to English Bay. Mr. Beaven's opposition to the extension was an exhibition of sheer selfishness, and had he succeeded it would have been fatal to the welfare of Victoria. He well knew that by no reasonable possibility could a ferry be run from his property at Port Moody to Nanaimo or Victoria, and this is why he did not want to bring the terminus on the mainland sixteen miles nearer this city, to the only point from which a ferry would be practical. Had Mr. Beaven succeeded in his little dodge it would have been millions in his pocket; but, alas! for Victoria. She would have lost her supremacy, and the stagnation which characterized her history under the Beaven government would have continued to the end. In the face of these facts, we ask, can Victorians have further confidence in Mr. Beaven?

VICTORIAN.

A Workingman Speaks.

TO THE EDITOR:—Since my arrival here I have attended almost every public meeting that has been held, and I may say, with the exception of one, they have all, more or less, been political. My reason for so doing was that I should be better able to become acquainted with the topics of the day, and to watch closely the actions of the aspirants. Although I have attended a great many political meetings in England, I can affirm I never saw so much political underhand dodging, or heard such ungallant remarks indulged in as by some of the candidates and their supporters, especially on the opposition platform, and I think each meeting exceeded its predecessor in vulgarity and personal remarks. If they are the avowed friends of the workingman, why have not the opposition adopted the workingmans' platform, as it is! Beyond a doubt, it was framed, adopted and made public before they selected their representatives, and yet not one of them makes the slightest allusion to it any way. If they were honest workingmens' friends they would not refuse to comply with its restrictions—to resign when called upon by their constituency, through misrepresentation. This to an unbiased mind, is a proof that they are political office-seekers, each one having his own axe to grind, the candidates not daring to say a word against the workingmens' candidates for fear of bringing the rods to their own backs. They have searched our ranks and found two Judases who are arraigned on the platform to malign the choice of the workingmen, and this they did without giving the slightest proof for their assertions. The Times dares to set forth these men as true examples of workingmen, and compares them to the workingmens' platform. This assertion is a direct insult to all respectable and loyal workingmen.

Fellow workingmen, do not be led away with such political humbugs who do nothing but rail against the Government; not one of them promises to bring in a bill on the land question or any other subject for the benefit of the working classes. They are all going to vote for, but who will bring in, the bill? It is impossible to vote on it if not brought forward.

Workingmen, do not vote for the opposition. They have betrayed us and tried to break up our political strength. If you are personally opposed to the present labour candidates, do not vote at all, or vote for the government candidates rather than favour false representation.

A WORKINGMAN.

Just Received.

The Summer Number of London News and Graphic. T. N. HIBBEN & Co.*

The Parson's Bridge Meeting.

TO THE EDITOR:—As your report of the political meeting, held at Parson's Bridge on Saturday evening last, is not quite correct regarding the part I took in the discussion on the Island railway question, may I ask you to be good enough to insert this, the correct version: My question to Mr. Hett was to this effect, "Was not the bill sanctioning the change in the curvature of the line of the Island railway made on the recommendation of the government engineers; as the line selected, although with sharper curves than originally intended, still had advantages which rendered it a better, more substantial and safer line than if built on any other practical location?" This question was asked by me owing to Mr. Hett stating in the course of his address that Mr. Dunsmuir, through Messrs. Shakespeare and Baker, caused a bill to be passed through the Canadian house of commons, permitting for the sake of economy solely, the adoption of sharper curves, thus endangering the lives of the people who would have to travel by the line, and that this was done by the house without any enquiry. Knowing as I did how utterly at variance with the fact this statement was, I took the opportunity to put Mr. Hett right, and also to let the people present know that the house of commons did not pass this bill until after full enquiry and upon the recommendation of the responsible engineers. Now, sir, to prove my statement permit me to quote from Hansard, which I carefully read during the session (perhaps Mr. DeCosmos did also) the following extract from the report of the debate upon the third reading of the Esquimalt and Nanaimo railroad bill (No. 47) vide page 633. Fourth session, Fifth parliament, April 9, 1886. In answer to Mr. Gordon and Sir Richard Cartwright, neither of whom called into question the safety of the line. The Hon. Mr. Pope, minister of railways, stated as follows: "I really think the hon. gentleman, if he had this matter to put through himself, would hardly deem it fair to press upon these gentlemen for changes in the contract, *when it is said by the government engineers that the road is quite as good and more permanent under the changes than if the line were drawn as first proposed.*"

You also state that Mr. DeCosmos made a personal attack upon me. May I say in fairness to him and to myself that if he did I did not hear him. What he said was that I had no right in my official capacity to come before the meeting. This, of course, I explained to him by stating that I was present in my private capacity as an elector of the Esquimalt district, and in no other.

J. G. HOLMES, Lieut.-Col.,
Canadian Artillery.

Burnside road, July 5, 1886.

Wells, Fargo & Co. Withdraw from the N. P.

Owing to the failure of the managers of Wells, Fargo & Co's express company to make arrangements with the board of directors of the Northern Pacific railroad company in regard to express facilities over their line, Lloyd Tevis, president of Wells, Fargo & Co.'s express company, yesterday telegraphed to Col. Dudley Evans, superintendent, to discontinue at once receiving express matter for all points on the Northern Pacific and its branches. In consequence, no more express matter will be received by Wells, Fargo for points between Wallula and St. Paul and the agents and messengers will be withdrawn as speedily as possible. This will necessitate the discharge by Wells, Fargo & Co. of about fifty men employed as agents and messengers on the line and drivers, etc., in this city. The Northern Pacific express company will necessarily increase the number of their employés in this city and will probably employ a number of the men who have been in the employ of Wells, Fargo & Co. A motion to dissolve the injunction restraining the Northern Pacific railroad company from interfering with the business of Wells, Fargo & Co. will come up for hearing in the United States court today, which it is understood will not be resisted by the express company.—*Oregonian.*

A Prospective Intellectual Treat

It will be seen by advertisement in another column that one of the most popular and talented pulpit orators of early days, and more than 20 years a staunch friend of this province, the Rev. Thos. Somerville, M. A., of Blackfriar's church, Glasgow, Scotland, will deliver a lecture in Philharmonic hall on Thursday evening next, on the "New Line—by an old traveller, with thoughts by the way." No subject could be more *apropos* just at this juncture when the extreme east and far west are only 136 hours apart, and daily communication fairly and successfully inaugurated over the C. P. R. The rev. lecturer's well-remembered eloquence and graphic powers will have full scope on such a topic, the materials for which have been gathered during a recent trip over the entire road a few days ahead of the first through train.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

A MEETING OF THE COMMITTEE OF THE

GOVERNMENT CANDIDATES,

Will be held at the committee rooms, Bastion st.

At 11 o'clock TO-DAY

A full attendance is requested. jy6

CARD OF THANKS.

THE UNDERSIGNED HEARTILY THANK those friends and citizens who so kindly assisted in removing their property during the fire on Saturday night. jy6 M. & H. A. FOX.

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A LARGE FRONT ROOM ON THE SUNNY SIDE of street, with or without board. jy6 1m Apply at *The Colonist* office.

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AN ELEGANT 7⅓ OCTAVE UPRIGHT PIANO—one of the finest instruments on the coast. Will be sold at a sacrifice. Enquire of A. C. WEST, Dentist, over Denny's, Government st., Victoria. jy6

LECTURE.

"THE NEW LINE—BY AN OLD TRAVELLER, WITH THOUGHTS BY THE WAY."

REV. THOS. SOMERVILLE, M. A.,

PASTOR OF BLACKFRIAR'S CHURCH GLASgow, Scotland, so long and so favorably known in the early days of this city, has kindly consented to deliver a lecture on the above interesting topic on

Thursday Evening, the 9th inst.

In PHILHARMONIC HALL. Chair to be taken at 8 o'clock. Admission FREE. Collection will be taken up at close of lecture in aid of the Mechanics' Institute funds. jy6td

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

GRAND RALLY!

—AT—

THEATRE COMIQUE,

—ON—

THIS (TUESDAY) EVENING

WHEN THE

GOVERNMENT

CANDIDATES,

Messrs. DUCK, DAVIE, TURNER and PRIOR,

Will Address the Electors upon the Charges made by the Opposition

And upon which they are AFRAID TO MEET THE GOVERNMENT.

All Candidates are invited to a seat on the platform and to address the meeting. jy6

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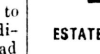

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CAPT. HUNTINGTON,

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Intending shippers are requested to make arrangements for freight as early as possible so that room may be reserved for their shipments.

Freight for shipment by her is requested to be on the wharf of the undersigned by 6 o'clock P. M. on Friday, July 9.

For Freight and Passage apply to

jy6 WELCH, RITHET & CO., Agents.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

THAT THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXisting between J. S. Antonelle and M. Jasse has been dissolved.
Dated June 28, 1886 J. S. ANTONELLE,
jy6 Railroad Contractor.

NOTICE.

ESTATE OF JOHN WHITFIELD, OF NANAIMO.

A MEETING OF THE CREDITORS OF THE above estate will be held at the office of A. Cowan, Wharf street, Victoria, on WEDNESDAY, the 14th July next, at 8 p. m., to consider tenders for the Stock-in-Trade and the book debts of the estate and otherwise to advise concerning same.
A. COWAN,
jy4td Assignee.

CARD OF THANKS.

I BEG TO SINCERELY RETURN THANKS FOR the able assistance afforded me during the fire last night. M. LENZ.
July 4th, 1886. jy4

CARD OF THANKS.

THE UNDERSIGNED WISHES TO TENDER his sincere thankfulness to the fire department, citizens of Victoria and the sailors who ably assisted in saving his property from total destruction last night. jy4 2t JACOB SEHL.

REMOVAL.

MR. JOHN WENGER,

WATCHMAKER & JEWELER

HAS REMOVED FROM YATES TO GOVERNment street, and now occupies a portion of C. A. Lombard's music store, next door to T. N. Hibben & Co.'s. Watches, Clocks, Jewelery and Musical Boxes repaired. All work guaranteed. jy4

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THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING ESTABLISHED himself here is now prepared to

RECEIVE, STORE AND FORWARD GOODS TO CARIBOO

And all points on the road, with promptness and dispatch.

Parties shipping goods through me will please mark care "W. B. G.," Ashcroft.
W. B. GLADWIN,
Ashcroft Station, B. C.,
July 1st, 1886. je4dw3m

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Assayers and Mining Engineers.

ALL ASSAYS MADE IN DUPLICATE. SAMples forwarded will receive prompt attention. Charges moderate. Office, Farwell, B. C. je6-1m

NOTICE.

DURING MY ABSENCE FROM THE PROvince

R. ERSKINE

Holds my Power of Attorney.
W. HEATHORN.
June 19th, 1886. je19tf

MR. JAMES KAYE,

FISGARD STREET,

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TWO FIRST-CLASS DRY GOODS HANDS AT once. Apply to M. LENZ, Government street, next *The Colonist* Office, Victoria. jy4 3t

Wanted to Purchase

A GENTLE HORSE OR PONY THAT A LADY can ride or drive. Address with full particulars and lowest price, P. O. Box 246, Victoria, B. C. je30 2w

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AN EXPERIENCED TEACHER, MALE OR FEmale, holding a first-class A. or B. Certificate for the Barkerville Public School. Duties to commence after the summer vacation. Salary $100 per month. Apply with testimonials, &c., to
JOHN HOUSER, Secty.
Barkerville, June, 1886. je30w3t

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A TAILOR TO MANAGE A WORKSHOP. Wages $20 per week. Also, a Vest Maker. Apply immediately to
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HAT TRIMMER, FUR SEWER OR CAP MAKER. Apply to BROWN, Practical Hatter and Furrier, 207, Government street, Victoria, B.C. je26 6t

WANTED

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HAVING LEASED MR. A. W. HUSON'S INterest in the Gorge Brick Yard, all business in connection with the brick works will be attended to at my office on the works, where all accounts will be settled.

Telephone Call 557. HUSON & HARKINS.

N. B.—Any order for Bricks will be promptly attended to.
je30 1m WM. HARKINS.

IMPORTANT.

HAVING IMPORTED FROM MR. GLOVER Cheshire, England, a fine specimen of

DARK BRAHMAS,

I have now some fine birds for sale $5 each; also, some eggs $5 per dozen. WM. DEAN,
jy3dw1m Highland District.

DISSOLUTION.

THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTing between the undersigned is hereby dissolved by mutual consent. All parties having accounts against us are requested to send a statement of the same to Mr. W. P. SAYWARD, Victoria.
DAVID ANDERSON,
HENRY ANDERSON.
Otter Point, V. I., June 28th, 1886. je29dw2w

Ladies' $5 Street Jerseys reduced to $1 at
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jy3 1lt GEN'L SUPT.

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First-class work guaranteed. je12 1m

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ALL ACCOUNTS AGAINST THE

ARTILLERY PICNIC

Are to be sent in at once to
W. B. SMALLFIELD,
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HAY.

AS GOOD AS THE ISLAND CAN PRODUCE, two miles from Victoria, at the Twin Oak Farm. We shall be ready to sell, two weeks from the above date,

From 30 to 50 Tons

Of this beautiful HAY, at Market Price. Anyone who desires to purchase good Hay should call at Twin Oak Farm, or we shall be pleased to receive notes from the Postoffice.
Address, HOOPER BROS.,
Twin Oak Farm,
Victoria, B. C.

N.B.—We advertise on account of being strangers and not acquainted with hay-buyers.
Twin Oak Farm, June 5th, 1886. je6-1m

LOST

A LADY'S SWISS STEM WINDING WATCH No. 72453, gold case, half open face, enamelled figures, with letters "B.B.," on the outside case; green fish and Chinese slipper attached. The finder will be rewarded on leaving the property at *The Colonist* Office. jy3

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TUESDAY MORNING, JULY 6TH, 1886.

GOVERNMENT CANDIDATES

— FOR THE —

PROVINCIAL HOUSE.

VICTORIA CITY.

Simeon Duck.
Theo. Davie,
J. H. Turner,
E. G. Prior.

VICTORIA DISTRICT.

Robert F. John,
G. W. Anderson.

ESQUIMALT DISTRICT.

Chas. E. Pooley,
D. W. Higgins.

COWICHAN DISTRICT.

Wm. Smithe, } Elected by
Henry Croft, } Acclamation.

NANAIMO DISTRICT.

Robert Dunsmuir,
Wm. Raybould.

COMOX.

Wm. Dingwall.
S. McKelvey.

NEW WESTMINSTER.

W. D. Ferris.

N. W. DISTRICT.

J. Robson,
Jno. Kirkland,
A. C. Wells.

YALE.

G. B. Martin,
F. Vernon,
Jos. Irwin,

LILLOOET.

A. E. B. Davie,
W. Morrison,
E. Allen.

CARIBOO.

G. Cowan,
C. Wilson,
Jos. Mason.

KOOTENAY.

Col. Baker.

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PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED.

July 5—Str Geo. E Starr, Pt Townsend
Str Mexico, San Francisco

CLEARED.

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Str Mexico, Pt Townsend

PASSENGERS.

Per ss MEXICO, for San Francisco—E L Derby, Geo Stokes and wife, V Smith, Miss M Gotze, E C S Gorden, Mrs P W Watson, A DeForrest, H L Gulline, G Houck and 23 in steerage.

CONSIGNEES.

Per ss MEXICO, fm San Francisco—A Bossi, A Burns, Albion Iron Works, A Lewis & Co, A B Gray & Co, A Ofner, Bank of B C, B C Stationery & Ptg Co, C Strouss & Co, Colbert & Coughlan, Carne & Mansie, C J Mayor, D McPhaiden, E S Scoullar & Co, E B Marvin, E G Prior, E W Talcott, F W Foster, Fell & Co, Grant & Hawkins, G Gowen & Sons, G Stokes, G Vienna, H Saunders, H Short, H Mansell, Harrison & McAllister, Hutchison, Young & Co, H L Gulline & Co, Irving & Strahan, J W Keller, J Sehl, J Cunningham, Jas Fisher, J Sommers, J Weiler, J Galbraith, J Wilson, J Derby, Kong On Lung, Kwong On Tai, Kelly Bros, Loewen & Erb, Leahy & North, Lun Cheong, L P Baumann, Langley & Co, Matthew Richards & Tye, Marvin & Tilton, McLennan & McFeely, McLenz, M S M Co, M W Waitt & Co, M J Dodd, McDonald Bros, McLachlan Bros, Moore & Co, Nichols & Ronouf, N Portman, Neufelder & Ross, P McQuade, R Keeler, Rev J M McCucker, R Lettice, R Maynard, R Baker & Son, S Leiser, S Jones, S J Pitts, T Dunn & Co, T Earle, T W Fletcher, T Dunn & Co, T L Briggs, T J Rayner, T Shotbolt, T J Trapp, T N Hibben & Co, Vair & Costa, Wm Teitzen, Welch, Rithet & Co, W A Griffith, Wall Hung, Wm Eckert, W Heathorn, W H Coburn, W McColl, W R Austin, W R Megaw, W C Coleman, Wells, Fargo & Co, Yee Wo, Yuen Lung, Yee Yuen, Lun Chung & Co.

Per str GEO. E. STARR, from Puget Sound—M Bandley, M R & T, Fell & Co, H Mansell, H Saunders, J Weiler, T S Hall, T Earle, S Clay, H B Co, Neufelder & R, R Baker & Son, W Chandler, W R & Co, S Baker & Son, Bossi & G, Langley & Co, P McQuade, L A Post, H Saunders.

DIED.

In this city, on the 29th ultimo, Edward Alexander, son of Donald and Harriet MacKay, aged eight months.

In this city, on the 4th instant, Harriet Elizabeth, aged 24 years, beloved wife of James Keir, of Somenos, V. I., and eldest daughter of the late Lewis Hall, of Chemainus.

Recognition of Valuable Services.

The following notice of motion has been placed on the board at the city hall by Councillor Higgins:

I hereby give notice that at the next meeting of the council I shall move that the sum of dollars be placed in the hands of his worship the mayor and the fire wardens to compensate the sailors and marines of H. M. ships who so gallantly assisted the fire department at the conflagration on Saturday night last.

D. W. HIGGINS.

Notice.

I beg to inform my many friends and customers that my business will be continued without interruption at the old stand corner Government and Fort streets. A. OFNER, Wholesale and retail grocer. d6tw1t

Card of Thanks.

I beg to tender my sincere thanks to Messrs. Hall & Goepel for the prompt manner in which they settled their share of my loss by the late fire. A. OFNER.

July 5th, 1886.

The Fortifications.

An Ottawa dispatch states that Col. Lane will shortly proceed to Esquimalt, and report upon the requirements of that place for a station for British troops.

AT BEAUCHAMP'S, GOVERNMENT STREET—The finest Island Strawberries in the market may be seen. They are mammoths and sound to the core. Send in your orders. *

CLOSING OUT AT COST, ladies and gents silk underwear and gents silk umbrellas.
* HUTCHESON, YOUNG & Co.

PUBLIC MEETING AT THE FOUR-MILE HOUSE.

The Government Candidates Unanimously Endorsed.

A large and enthusiastic meeting of electors at the 4-mile house last evening was presided over by Mr. D. Cartmel.

Mr. Higgins spoke first. He reviewed the policy of the government and said he intended to support it so long as it was in the interest of the country and district to do so. He said the construction of the island railway and drydock were a triumph for the government and he predicted that they would prove the means of maintaining the supremacy of Victoria and Esquimalt as the practical terminus of the island railway. He condemned the action of Mr. Helgesen in refusing to assist Mr. Pooley in his efforts to advance the district and said the address of Mr. Hett was the emanation of a politician and not that of a man who had the interests of Esquimalt at heart. Through the policy of the government the district was now sure of the fortifications and barracks which would cause a large expenditure of public money annually. [Cheers.] The country had been rapidly settled up during the past four years, and he noted with pleasure the improvement that was going on on all sides. Settlement on the Esquimalt peninsula had been retarded for want of water; but an enterprising company are now bringing in a supply and the land would then be valuable.

Mr. Pooley then referred to the vile attack made upon him at Parson's bridge by T. B. Humphreys and asked if such a man were fit to sit in the house? [No, and cheers]

Mr. Doran moved a resolution to the effect that the electors express their confidence in Messrs. Pooley and Higgins.

Mayor Fell objected to this resolution. He proceeded to say that he represented Mr. Helgesen, whose virtues he began to extol. He was rather personal in his remarks, and "riled" some of the audience, who thereupon refused to hear him through and he sat down.

Mr. Wilby said the resolution was improper.

Mr. W. A. Robertson made a few remarks on the public market and other topics. He denounced the government, and hoped their candidates would not be elected.

Mr. Higgins having replied,

Mr. Walls followed with an appeal on behalf of Messrs. Helgesen and Hett.

The chairman offered a few remarks warmly eulogizing Messrs. Pooley and Higgins, and then put Mr. Doran's resolution of confidence, which was unanimously carried.

The meeting then broke up, with three cheers for the government candidates and a vote of thanks to the chairman.

Personal.

At the Driard: Gerald Hart, Montreal; J. W. Driscoll, Winnipeg; Geo. K. Hackbord, Toronto; Thos. C. Sorby, Vancouver; Thomas Tompkins, Barkerville; G. Ford, Toronto; H. M. Samuels, Winnipeg; B. S. Jenkins, J. Dewe, Ottawa; W. W. McLeod, Winnipeg; W. E. Bennett, Ottawa; H. H. Dearborn, Seattle, Henry T. Allen, Washington; D. A. Stanley, F. C Roper, England; Almon Ames Milne, E. L. Derby, A. D. Tourtillot, San Francisco; J. Gordon, Woodstock, Ont.; Thos. K. Vudringhaus, St. Louis, Mo.; J. R. Smith, Chicago; T. Abrams, San Francisco; A. L. Hermstein, New York.

Mr. Thomas C. Sorby, Vancouver, is at the Driard.

Mr. J. Dewe, chief postoffice inspector, was a passenger by the first overland train and is a guest of the Driard. He paid his first visit to this province in 1872, and will doubtless be remembered and kindly welcomed by many old residents.

Mr. H. L. Gulline arrived here from San Francisco yesterday.

Rev. C. Ladner, of Montreal, is registered at the Occidental.

At the Occidental: D. D. McKinnon, W. Hutcheson, D. J. Macdonald, Nicola; Rev. C. Ladner, Montreal.

E. L. Derby, of Sumas dyking fame, was a passenger by the Mexico.

The firm of Antonelli & Janse, railroad contractors, has been dissolved. Mr. Antonelli will be in Victoria in a few days' time.

Miss Madigan, of Misses Beegan & Madigan is very ill.

Ex Mayor Beaudry, of Montreal, is dead.

Assistant Engineer Deasy is suffering from an attack of rheumatic fever.

Mr. W. W. McLeod, postoffice inspector for Manitoba and the Northwest, is registered at the Driard.

Mr. Fred Carne, proprietor of the Angel hotel, has arrived home from England, coming overland via the C. P. R.

Mr. W. E. Bennett, of Ottawa, assistant postal inspector, is staying at the Driard.

Mr. Roderick Finlayson and daughter arrived home by the through train.

Mr. J. Court and wife, Mr. K. C. Davison, Mr. A. B. Scott, Mr. E. Johnson, Mr. W. Wolfenden, Mr. T. Mitchell, and Mr. E. V. Bodwell arrived from the mainland last night.

St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society.

Ladies tombola.—1st prize, 508, won by Mrs. W. Allan; 2nd, 1302, Mrs. Fletcher, View street; 3rd, 368, Mrs. Jackson; 4th, 115, Miss Fox; 5th, 1312, unclaimed; 6th, 1384, Mrs. E. D. Marston; 7th, 133, Miss Wilson; 8th, 1395, Miss Bossi; 9th, 437, Miss Wraight.

The ladies are all in raptures.

INSTALLATION.—The installation of officers of Victoria Lodge, No. 1, I. O. O. F., took place last evening, Frederick Carne, Grand Master, performing the ceremony. The following were installed as officers for the ensuing term: W. H. Flewin, N. G.; E. A. Praeger, V. G.; F. Davey, Rec. and Permanent Secretary; J. Weiler, Treasurer; A. Mather, Warden; J. Flewin, Conductor; A. Blake, R. S. N. G.; S. A. Morris, L. S. N. G.; W. H. Huxtable, O. G.; J. Kennedy, I. G.; E. Hoosan, R. S. V. G.; L. H. Marsters, L. S. V. G.

OWING to the wires being down in every direction we are without our usual telegrams. The wonder is that the wires are *ever* up. There is something rotten in the whole system, which ought in the public interest to be remedied as soon as possible. Nothing could be more unsatisfactory than the present arrangements.

THE fourth of July occurring on Sunday, yesterday was observed throughout the United States as a holiday. Flags were flying in this city and the shipping in the harbor were decked in holiday attire, the Alden Besse, Capt. O'Brien, presenting a particularly fine appearance.

BASEBALL.—The Seattle Reds and the Amities of this city met at Seattle yesterday and played two innings, when the game was declared a draw owing to the rain preventing further play.

SOUTH SAANICH MEETING.

Humphreys in Bad Odor.

Certain Election of the Government Candidates.

A public meeting called by Messrs. Humphreys and Sluggett was held last night at the agricultural hall at South Saanich, Mr. J. D. Bryant, chairman.

The audience, which was a large one, was first addressed by Mr. Anderson who was heartily received while his sound principles of progress and improvement were likewise received with marked favor.

Mr. Sluggett, who followed, said nothing worth recording, except that he employed Chinese.

Mr. R. F. John was also greeted with cheers when he took the stand, his reception forming a striking contrast to Humphreys, who made his way to the platform amid a deep silence, received many interruptions to his tirade of personal abuse, and concluded amid hisses from many. Hon. Mr. Smithe, who was present, was loudly called for, and was met, when he arose, with a volley of cheers that made the old hall ring again. He explained that the despicable charges made against him by the last speaker at other meetings in his absence were the reason for his being there that evening, when he had expected that the accusations would have been reiterated. Upon this Mr. Humphreys offered to repeat them, promising to permit a reply. He went over them again, but during Mr. Smithe's response he left the hall. When the leader of the government had finished speaking the people rose *en masse* and sent up three sturdy shouts for him amid great enthusiasm.

A vote of thanks to the chairman concluded what was perhaps the most ultra-government meeting of the whole campaign.

Mr. Carey's Meeting.

The meeting called by Mr. Carey last evening at the Philharmonic hall was rather slimly attended. An attempt was made to elect Mr. DeCosmos as chairman, but that gentleman politely declined the honor. After a long pause another motion was made to put Mr. Shakespeare in the chair, but he too declined. Several other gentlemen were named, but all felt equally bashful. Finally Mr. F. Tuckfield took the chair amidst great amusement. Mr. T.'s opening remarks were received by the audience with numerous "hear, hear's."

Mr. Carey, on coming forward, said he had no other object in view than to enlighten the electors. At the last opposition meeting he was ashamed of the low level to which politics had been carried. It was a disgrace to the country to have such reports sent abroad. The end of politics should be to make all the people happy. He thought both sides were "dirty slimy eels" and should be thrown out of the political basket. Mr. Carey tickled the audience with numerous little sketches from history to illustrate his meaning. Referring to what he called "the Port Simpson steal" he repeated the stale old cry of a "corrupt" administration but the oratory was lost on the audience. The Puget Sound Land Company had taken up the land around Victoria, but could not give deeds to the purchasers. He was in favour of compelling the company to sell at a low figure, and if the company would not sell, he would put on an *ad valorem* tax. With respect to the Settlement Bill, Mr. Carey said that although the boundary of the land grant in both the Dunsmuir and Clements bills were the same, the acreage in the Clements bill was 2,900,000. Mr. Carey then mathematically demonstrated the exact boundaries of the land grant, but scarcely made himself plain as to the gist of his remarks. Various other particulars were discussed more or less at length. The finances of the country were then taken up, and Mr. Carey said that no reference was made at any of the previous meetings to the certified balance sheet of the province in 1885. The debt of the province Mr. Carey made out was $1,085,000. Mathematics were now reduced to such a degree that the distances to the stars were taken by addition and subtraction. [Applause.] Having finished with the public accounts Mr. C. threw them on the floor, stating that he was finished with them. [Applause.] What it took the Beaven government to spend in productive works in ten years it took the present government three years. The government had encouraged the hardy sons of toil from the east, and the consequence was that numerous municipalities had sprung up on the mainland and island. Every possible acre of land in the country had, according to Mr. Carey, been alienated. The chief commissioner of lands and works had more power than a Russian autocrat. "Why should he have such powers!" asked Mr. Carey, but echo alone answered "why." As to Chinese he thought he was no shuffler, and would refer to the evidence in the Chapleau enquiry. He thought that the act of the opposition organ in sending out ballots with marks opposite their candidates' names was a gross violation of the ballot act. It was prostituting the principles of responsible government and was a scandal to any British country. [Applause]. Mr. Carey said that he had paid for the hall for the benefit of the electors and hoped that the electors would remember him when they went to the polls. After thanking the audience Mr. Carey retired and prompted the chairman in the delivery of his (the chairman's) closing speech. This being the finale the audience quietly dispersed.

THE SPROULE CASE.—A writ of *habeas corpus*, issued by the supreme court for the delivery forthwith of R. E. Sproule at Ottawa, arrived in this city on Saturday, and the sheriff will despatch the prisoner in efficient custody almost immediately. Sproule, in the eyes of the law, is as yet an innocent man; the trial at which he was found guilty, having been declared null and void. He is, practically, to be brought before the court for discharge, and unless further steps are taken by the provincial government he will be set at liberty.

IT is stated that the Sound steamers will not touch hearafter at intermediate points between here and Seattle, but will run through between Tacoma and Victoria, calling at Seattle and Port Townsend only.

PAPER BAGS, square bottoms. A full assortment; extra quality.
M. W. WAITT & Co. dw

FOR new and choice designs in fans, and beautiful patterns in ladies handkerchiefs, see White House windows. *

SALAMMBÔ for sale by T. N. Hibben & Co. †

AN INCIDENT OF THE CAMPAIGN.

Five-Acre Jim and the Photograph "My Little Cabin."

A harmless youth not a hundred miles from the fair city of Victoria, who speaks with a pebble in his mouth, when he can speak at all, got taken, and paid for a photograph of the Hon. Mr. Robson's house, and sent the pictures by the hundred to five-acre Jim for the purpose of influencing the elections in the District of New Westminster, by way of showing how Ministers applied the proceeds of imaginary corruption!

Armed with this formidable weapon of political warfare, and looking very much like a travelling showman, Jim took his seat on the box of a two-wheeled cart kindly placed at his service by a local fishmonger. He started out, followed by the usual and unusual lucky emblems in the shape of very old shoes and odoriferous salmon bellies.

Jim took good care to keep clear of Mr. Robson as long as possible, calculating truly the consequences of meeting him. They met, however, at one of the farming settlements where the photograph was made to do duty. To his dying hour James will regret the mistake he made there and then.

In replying to Jim's fishy oration, Mr. Robson, after discussing the chief political questions and scattering to the winds the false, silly and slanderous statements of the opposition proceeded to notice the photograph in about the following style:

"I now turn, Mr. Chairman, with much pleasure to an incident of a somewhat personal nature. Mr. Orr has been kind enough, at considerable expense no doubt, to provide himself, for free distribution, with photographs of "my little cabin" in Victoria where my duties require me at present to make my home. Now, if Mr. Orr will kindly hand me one of the pictures (Jim sullenly complies) I will tell you all about it. Here (holding up the picture) is my little house built from the savings of 25 years of hard work in B. C. where I can live cheaper than in a rented habitation; this, gentlemen, is my bedroom, and here is my dining room where I eat my humble meals;—and here are a couple of spare rooms for the use of my friends—and if any of you are in Victoria and in want of a friendly welcome, a good meal and a comfortable bed you can be accommodated right here at "my little cabin. [Thunders of applause.]

But, Mr. Chairman, this is too much a one-sided affair. I never like to receive a favor without making some return for it when I am in a position to do so. Mr. Orr has been extremely kind in having such a nice picture taken of my little house. He has been in the country nearly as long as myself, and with his pre-eminent abilities, great force of character, and abstemious habits, has, no doubt, been able to make himself a comfortable home. Now, if this estimable gentleman will just tell me where I can find his house I shall be happy to have it photographed and the picture sent around among his friends. (A voice—"His house is his hat; no—O'Dowd's saloon.") This was followed by frantic and prolonged cheers, during which poor Jim, who felt himself small enough to creep through a knot hole, looked in vain for a means of escape. Finding none he covered his face with his hands and fervently prayed that the roof might fall in. When the applause had subsided Mr. Robson concluded by assuring his friends that should they elect him he would fling to the breeze the Union Jack on his "little cabin" in their honor as a symbol of their loyalty and to the eternal confusion of all disloyal political miscreants.

It is said that after his total discomfiture Jim funked the whole business and returned to New Westminster where his aching political sores were bathed in the neverfailing "Jamieson-Hennessy Lotion"; and thus recuperated he took the road again. But now when asked for a spare photograph of "the little cabin," he hangs his head and simply answers "Never More."

Marine.

Steamship Mexico, Capt. Huntington, from San Francisco, arrived yesterday morning, bringing about 75 passengers and 785 tons of freight.

The American ship Francis, of New Bedford, Captain Stone, arrived on Sunday morning, and was towed to Nanaimo by the Alexander, where she will load coal for San Francisco.

The steamer Amelia was slightly damaged in yesterday's gale. When in the vicinity of ten mile rock part of the gangway was broken in by the force of the gale. Otherwise little damage was done. Some of the passengers paid their tribute to Neptune and report a rough trip. The steamer started for Nanaimo again at noon, but was obliged to put back owing to the still raging gale.

The steamer Yosemite left again yesterday morning for Port Moody.

Mainland News.

(Inland Sentinel.)

A gentleman of this place passing Mr. R. McDonald's, Nicola, had his attention drawn to a strange freak of nature, viz., a calf with six legs, one leg with two feet. The extra legs project from the hind part of the little animal, which appeared healthy and frisked about quite sprightly.

It is now announced for a certainty that the railway between Savona and Port Moody passed over to the C. P. R. syndicate with the close of June, and the new arrangement is now in force.

Mr. W. Hull, recently from Farwell, informs us that parties from Big Bend brought in some fine specimens of gold, and quite a number of miners, etc., left for the Big Bend mines.

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FOR SHAME, MR. BEAVEN!

Mr. Theodore Davie and the Public School Question.

At the public meeting on Friday evening Mr. Beaven quoted Mr. T. Davie's vote upon the second reading of the school act of 1884, which, among many other provisions, contained, as introduced into the house, a clause, providing a small fee upon pupils entering the high school, as showing that Mr. Davie had advocated the imposition of such fee, and the Times in Saturday's issue gives in large type the division upon the bill, with the same purpose. Mr. Beaven well knows that voting for the second reading of a bill commits no one to its details, and no remark is more common among legislators than that in voting for the second reading of a measure, they recognize their full right to modify its details as they think proper. And so it was with the bill in question, which in principle was for the purpose of establishing high schools in New Westminster, Nanaimo and other parts of the province, and to meet the extra cost which would thus be incurred, a clause was inserted, but not insisted upon by the government, providing a small fee to meet the extra expenditure, which would be thus incurred.

In dealing with this clause, in committee, Mr. Theodore Davie is reported as follows: (We take the report from our file of the 23rd January, 1884, which is open to inspection at our office).

"Mr. T. Davie thought the subject should be debated from the broad standpoint it deserved, viz., the basis of public education. It was desirable that all parts of the province should have equal advantages in this direction, which he hoped would be shortly forthcoming, in fact he could not see why the government was not at present in a sufficiently good financial position to do this at once. He could not see that the support of a high school was in any way detrimental to the free schools of the province, and until it had been shown to be so HE STRONGLY DEPRECATED ANY CHANGE IN THE SYSTEM. [Hear, hear] GIVE CHILDREN NOT ONLY EDUCATION, BUT THE MOST LIBERAL ONE THAT COULD BE CONSISTENTLY PROCURED. He should do his utmost to MAINTAIN THE FREE SCHOOL SYSTEM TO ITS FULLEST SCOPE AND EXTENT. It was not ingenuous in opposition members to obstruct a government which had not been the first to experience a difficulty in this respect. Increased expenditure or curtailment of expenses were the only alternatives that could be adopted. The government deserved credit in bringing the matter before the house and promoting discussion on such an important subject. The saving, however, proposed in the clause would be trivial. HE HOPED THE SYSTEM, WHILE BEING EXTENDED "WOULD BE PRESERVED INTACT, AND THAT THE CLAUSE THEREFORE WOULD BE STRUCK OUT."

Verily the opposition's persistent misrepresentation of Mr. Davie's political acts serve him good purpose in laying bare the dishonest and untruthful character of the attacks made upon him, and exhibit his political consistency in bold relief.

Judged by his utterances on the occasion referred to no truer friend of free education than Mr. T. Davie exists in the province.

Campaign Notes.

An evening journal of opposition proclivities and doubtful respectability describes with minute detail an effigy of the editor of *The Colonist* which it says is being prepared in this city. We are inclined to doubt the statement, because we hardly think that Messrs. Grant or Hett would go to such a heavy expense for the gratification of such paltry malice.

"Honest Tom" Humphreys who made such a sorry exhibition of himself at the Parson's bridge meeting on Saturday night, also made some wild statements which he cannot substantiate. Among many others we single out one. In speaking of the "giving away of secrets" (that old exploded scandal) he told the audience that a *Mr. Williams*, a member of the executive of a recent maritime province government, had been driven out of office for a somewhat similar act. Now as a matter of fact (and Mr. Humphreys knew he was drawing the long bow) there never was a member of the executive of any maritime province government, since confederation at all events, whose name was Williams. Mr. Humphreys simply allows his imagination to run riot and trusts to luck at not being found out.

The following is taken from yesterday's Times: A gentleman on the mainland, who met Mr. Duval there a few days ago, informs us that the so-called workingmen's candidate "was canvassing there in the interest of the government? Will he deny it?" Comment is needless.

Perhaps never in the history of political discussions in this province has any candidate made such an exhibition of himself as T. B. Humphreys did at the Parson's Bridge meeting. We could not, did we desire, find words to adequately describe his conduct, which was more like that of a common rowdy than a man who had occupied the exalted position of provincial secretary of the province. We are sure he irreparably injured whatever chances the opposition candidates may have had. We only wish the electors of Victoria district, whose suffrages he seeks, could have seen and heard him on that occasion. We are sure so highly respectable a body of men would have become even more disgusted with him than they are now. In any event he will be consigned to the oblivion he deserves at tomorrow's election, and none too soon.

At a public meeting held at the Philharmonic last Friday night, Mr. Beaven said that "those who vote for the second reading of a bill as it is printed at that stage, vote for that bill *in toto*." It is our painful duty to remind Mr. Beaven that the view he takes differs *in toto* from that of the other "grand old man" who particularly impressed upon the English commoners, when asking them to vote for the second reading of the Home Rule bill, that by so doing they would *be merely affirming the principle*, and not the details of the bill. But apart from such acknowledged authority, the fact is evident from the procedure; else, why if a second reading affirms the bill as it then stands, does the house need to go into committee at all? The truth is that Mr. Beaven forswore his knowledge of parliamentary practice for the purpose of misrepresenting a political opponent.

Mr. DeCosmos received quite a turn last night. It was at Mr. Carey's meeting, at which, it being found hard to find a good chairman, somebody said: "I see Mr. DeCosmos is present. I move that he takes the chair." Amor thought the words were "Mr. DeCosmos' present," and thinking that it could only refer to the ten per cent commission he received for raising the provincial loan of $30,000, hastily shewed signs of dissent and shrank behind the person sitting next him. What a terrible thing it must be to live in constant dread of exposure! Many men have bled for their country, but always where DeCosmos was concerned it was the country that bled for the man.

What Some People Say.

That many canoe loads of Nitinat Indians, having procured supplies, left for the west coast yesterday.

That T. J. Jones, L. D. S., has removed his dental rooms over the new Bank of British Columbia, corner of Fort and Government streets. Telephone call 507. 1m

That Dr. Brinkmann, bishop of Munster, is seriously ill.

That Lord Lansdowne will visit Victoria in August. He says he wants to spend a fortnight in this lovely town.

That the White Sewing Machine is the King of them all. Office and agency, Douglas street, next to Maynard's Photograph Gallery. *1m.

That the finest fancy iced drinks in the city can be had at the Arlington, including strawberry and pineapple cocktails.

THE FIRE.—The losses and insurances are as follows: A. Ofner, $10,000 on buildings, insured for $7000; M. W. Waitt & Co., $13,000 on stock, insured for $8,300; Atwell King & Co., $20,000 on stock, insured for $14,000; J. Sehl, $5000 by fire and water, covered by insurance. The origin of the fire is still unknown.

THE committee of Messrs. Duck, Davie, Prior and Turner will meet at the rooms on Bastion street at 11 a. m. to-day (Tuesday) and will sit during the day. A full attendance is requested.

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POLITICAL.

THE GENERAL COMMITTEE

OF MESSRS. DUCK, DAVIE, TURNER AND PRIOR will meet every evening at the rooms, Bastion street, at 8 o'clock. je10tf

TO THE ELECTORS OF VICTORIA CITY DISTRICT.

GENTLEMEN:—IN SOLICITING THE HONOR of your suffrages at the ensuing election I do so at the request of a large number of voters.

I am in sympathy with the policy of the present Government, and so long as they continue to administer the affairs of the Province as heretofore they shall, if you do me the honor of electing me, receive my support.

At the same time, I wish it to be distinctly understood that I shall reserve to myself the privilege of studying what I may consider to be your interests before that of any party policy. At a public meeting to be held shortly I shall be happy to meet you and there express my views more fully.

I have the honor to be, Gentlemen,
Yours respectfully,
je13 E. G. PRIOR.

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF VICTORIA CITY.

GENTLEMEN:—FOR A SECOND TIME I AM A Candidate for a seat in the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia.

In asking your suffrages I can, I think, refer with confidence to my course as one of your representatives during the last four years.

It would be out of place now to enter into details respecting the votes I have given on the various measures brought before the House beyond this—that I was actuated at all times and upon all measures by the sincerest desire to serve the best interests of our Province according to my judgment; and should you do me the honor to return me again, the progress and welfare of British Columbia will be my first object, and shall command my best exertions.

I shall take the opportunity of addressing you in Public meetings upon political topics when I shall endeavor to fully explain my views upon the issues of the day. THEODORE DAVIE.
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TO THE ELECTORS: OF VICTORIA CITY DISTRICT.

GENTLEMEN:—I HAVE THE HONOR TO INform you that I am again in the field as a candidate to represent your interests in the Provincial Assembly, and respectfully solicit your votes and influence at the coming election. As you are well acquainted with my course of action in the House during the time I have had the honor of representing you, it will not be necessary or desirable that I should issue a lengthy address. I can only say, should you further honor me with a continuation of your confidence, I shall strive to labor in the future as I have in the past—to promote the welfare of the Province and especially of this District. I shall embrace a future opportunity to express my views on the political issues of the day, for which purpose a public meeting will be called of which due notice of time and place will be given.

I have the honor to be, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
je6 SIMEON DUCK.

TO THE ELECTORS OF VICTORIA CITY.

GENTLEMEN:—HAVING BEEN SOLICITED IN a largely signed requisition to offer myself as a candidate for Victoria City at the approaching Provincial Election I have the honor to announce my compliance with the request.

In soliciting your votes and interest I have to state that I come forward as a supporter of the present Government, being quite satisfied that their policy has been beneficial to the Province.

If returned I shall give my support to every measure, emanating from whatever source, which has for its object the promotion of the welfare of this district and the province in general.

je13 J. H. TURNER.

TO THE ELECTORS OF VICTORIA CITY.

GENTLEMEN:—THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY having been dissolved, I again respectfully solicit your suffrages. I consider that the record of the Smithe administration must condemn it in the eyes of all thinking men. Assuming office, as they did, when the province was in a prosperous financial condition, and when railway construction and the opening of railway communication with the Northern Pacific coast was attracting population to our shores, and when a firm defence of the rights of the province would have brought about a final and satisfactory settlement of our just claims against the Federal government, they have in the short space of three and a-half years, during which they have held office, relinquished our rights; sold and given away the property of the province; illegally borrowed and squandered money; and brought the country to the verge of that disaster which prevailed when Mr. Smithe was removed from the position of Finance Minister eight years ago.

The government boast that the revenue has largely increased under their management; an analysis of the figures shows that the increase is due to the sale of the graving dock; the sale of lands; the tax collected from men temporarily employed on the railway, and the forfeiture of McNamee & Co.'s deposit of nearly $12,000 on account of the dock contract. It is needless for me to point out that such sources of revenue cannot be relied upon in the future.

The fact was disclosed at the last sitting of parliament that the salaries of ministers; of the civil servants; of the school teachers; and the grants to charitable institutions; were paid and the general business of the country carried on only through the courtesy of the manager of the Bank of British Columbia in honoring the Finance Minister's cheque against which there were no funds to draw and, you will remember, the legislature was asked to, and did, sanction the issue of $300,000 in provincial bonds to meet the overdraft.

As I deem it to be the duty of a candidate to meet the electors upon a public platform in order to explain his views, I shall take an early opportunity to do so, assuring you that if elected I shall endeavor to advance the interests of this city and of the province generally. ROBERT BEAVEN.

June 15th, 1886. je16

E. G. PRIOR

BEGS Respectfully to announce that he will be a Candidate for the City at the Ensuing Election.
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A. J. SMITH,

The Workingmen's Candidate, asks the support of the Electors. He will remain in the field until the last vote is polled. je20

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jy3 Jos. Hunter, Esq.

HELEN ARMSTRONG.

A Child of the Poet Burns.

It will surprise many, and may interest a few, of your readers to learn that there died at Moffat, on the 13th of last month, a veritable, though illegitimate, daughter of the poet Burns. The old lady in question, Helen Armstrong by name, who was 97 or 98 years of age, resided for many years in Moffat, in the same little back street in which she was born somewhere about the year 1788. The fact of her relationship to Burns was well known in Moffatt and the neighborhood. Her mother, Nelly Hyslop, was a beauty in her day, and Burns was for some time a devoted admirer of hers. Helen is said to have borne a strong resemblance to Burns in her earlier days, and indeed the likeness to the portraits of Burns was traceable to the last in the contour of the face and in the dark bright eyes, dimmed as they were by age and sickness. Nor was the likeness confined to physicial points; in her mental powers Helen showed a strain of the poetic blood. A few years ago her conversational powers and her quickness of repartee were more amusing and attractive. Even a few months since, when well enough to talk, her conversation was highly interesting. Helen's life, as far as I can learn, was not a very eventful one. She went to service at a very early age—7, I think. She belonged to that genus of Scotch servants, still extant, though rather rare, who remain years in one "place," and identify their employers' interests with their own. She was 30 years in one situation at the Buccleuch Arms inn at Thornhill, with a family named Glendinning. I believe she lived there till all the family had died out. Thornhill, as every schoolboy knows or ought to know, is close to Drumlanrig Castle, one of the ducal palaces of the Buccleuch family. Helen told me she once saw Sir Walter Scott at the old inn on his way to visit the Duke at Drumlanrig. He came into the kitchen and shook hands with the cook in his bright and genial way, and stepping up to the fire, where hung a large pot of skinny potatoes, he lifted up the lid, took out a potatoe, and proceeded to leisurely eat it without the aid of knife or fork. The cook, who was very proud of her kitchen, had all her metal ware brightly burnished, and Sir Walter, looking round on it, remarked: "Eh, Lucky, ye hae a' bricht and shining like the siller." To which Lucky replied: "Ay, Sir Walter; but it's no' a' gould that glitters." Helen thought that was a very sharp answer, and believed Sir Walter thought so, too, as he subsequently related it at dinner "amang the gentry." Helen's reminiscences, when she was well enough to be in good conversational trim, were such as might be expected in the case of one who, in her own words, had had a long life and had seen muckle." She added, with pious thanksgiving and a touch of true Scottish independence, that in all her long life she had never had to ask for charity from any one. The old lady lived entirely alone, her husband having been dead for many years, and she had no family. It is pleasing to know that her last days were relieved and brightened by the kindness of friends in Moffat, who had a great respect and liking for old Helen, not only as an interesting link with a past which already seems far distant, but also as a type of Scotch character which is unfortunately growing rapidly rarer. Independently of the interest attaching to her as a daughter of Burns, she was a character worth knowing.—*Correspondence of Pall Mall Gazette.*

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DIVORCE CASE.

Lady Colin Campbell Against Her Husband and Counter Charges.

LONDON, June 22.—The President of the Divorce Court gave a private hearing to the divorce case of Lord Colin Campbell and his wife to day. The trial of the actions of Lady Campbell against his lordship, and the counter-suit of Lord Campbell against her ladyship were ordered to be heard privately. Lady Campbell, who was formerly a Miss Blood, obtained a decree nisi some time ago. Lord Campbell, hoping to prevent the court from making the divorce absolute, now charges his wife with adultery with the Duke of Marlborough; Mr. Shaw, the chief of the London fire brigade; General Butler, the husband of the painter of "The Roll Call," and her Ladyship's physician. Your reporter called upon Lady Campbell's solicitor this afternoon to ascertain if there were any grounds for these charges. The solicitor denounced them as part of a conspiracy, and asserted that they were based upon the flimsiest evidence possible to conserve, evidence that would not stand in court for a moment. "For instance," he said, "General Butler is one of Lady Campbell's oldest friends. He paid her an ordinary visit, and spent a few minutes with her in her drawing-room, there being no one present but themselves, for the excellent reason that, with the exception of the servant, there was no one else in the house. This visit is magnified into a series of meetings, and the minutes which they spent together are extended into hours. The small amount of alimony which the court compelled Lord Campbell to allow her Ladyship is not sufficient to maintain her, and she has, therefore, been driven to engage in literary pursuits. As a result of her efforts in this direction she will shortly publish a novel, dealing with the vagaries of fashionable life. Lady Campbell is said, by those who have lately seen her, to be more beautiful than ever. She is sitting to Mr. Whistler for her portrait, and expects the picture will be on exhibition about the same time that her book is issued. Eminent counsel have been engaged on both sides, and the divorce trial will begin about the middle of July.

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J. H. TODD, } Assignees.
S. J. PITTS, }

June 4th, 1886. je6dw1

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE.

3rd June, 1886.

HIS HONOR THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Returning officers for the Electoral Districts set opposite their respective names, viz:—

H. W. H. Coombs,	Electoral District of		Victoria City
Thornton Fell,	"	"	Victoria.
M. Bray,	"	"	Nanaimo.
J. J. Austin,	"	"	Esquimalt.
Henry Fry	"	"	Cowichan.
G. F. Drabble,	"	"	Comox.
Charles Warwick,	"	"	New Westminster City.
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William Dodd,	"	"	Yale.
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POLITICAL.

TO THE ELECTORS OF

ESQUIMALT DISTRICT.

GENTLEMEN,—In offering myself as a candidate for your suffrages, it is proper that I should briefly state the principles that will guide me if you should honor me with your confidence.

DRY DOCK AND ISLAND RAILWAY.

I strongly endorse the policy of the provincial government in making grants of land of sufficient area to insure the construction of the dry dock and Island railway and the opening of the railway belts to actual settlers at one dollar per acre.

FORTIFICATIONS AND BARRACKS.

The wisdom of this policy is seen in the determination of the Dominion Government to erect at Esquimalt barracks and fortifications for the protection of the graving dock and the Island railway terminus. Imperial and Canadian commissioners will shortly meet to select a site for these important public works, the erection of which will give employment to a large number of skilled and unskilled laborers. The stationing of a permanent garrison in this vicinity, coupled with the increased number of ships of war that will rendezvous on this station, cannot fail to add greatly to the trade of the place.

CHINA STEAMERS.

In the Victoria City Council I had the honor of introducing a resolution—which was passed unanimously—calling on the Imperial and Canadian governments to insert a clause in any mail contract they might make with the Canadian Pacific Railway Co. requiring the company's Oriental line of steamers to touch at Victoria or Esquimalt on their way to and from Vancouver. I also moved in the B. C. Board of Trade a similar resolution which was unanimously passed. The Provincial government cabled the resolutions to London and Ottawa and have received assurances that the claims of Esquimalt and Victoria will be conserved in the contract.

PUBLIC MARKET.

In the City Council I had also the honor of introducing and securing the passage of a resolution as a preliminary step to the establishment of a public market. If elected I shall urge the Provincial government to assist by a direct money vote the Council in attaining an object so deserving and necessary. In any event, whether elected or not, I shall not relax my efforts to that end, believing the present unsatisfactory state of affairs to be most prejudicial to the interests of the farming community, who are now compelled to hawk their produce from door to door and have often to take goods in exchange or sell what they raise at a sacrifice for cash.

AGRICULTURE.

As one of the founders of the Agricultural Society and an officer thereof for several years, I have always taken a warm interest in the progress of agriculture. If elected I shall move that the annual grants for the promotion of exhibitions be largely augmented.

THE CHINESE.

I am of opinion that the stand taken by the local government and house and the energetic action of the members at Ottawa with respect to the exclusion of Chinese, were the means of inducing the Dominion government to introduce the present restriction Act. As a large employer of white labor I view with satisfaction any steps that may be adopted to prevent a further influx of the Chinese element.

BONUS.

I am a supporter of the bonus system for the encouragement of manufactures, and shall always do all in my power to extend that system wherever practicable.

Having closely watched the course of Mr. Pooley in the house, I have no hesitation in saying that he is entitled to be placed at the head of the poll. He has been a faithful representative and on all occasions has studied your interests.

Although a supporter of the government policy I shall at all times be prepared to vote for any measure, no matter by whom introduced, that will, in my judgment, conduce to the advantage of this district in particular and the province in general.

I remain, gentlemen,
Respectfully yours,

D. W. HIGGINS.

REQUISITION.

TO R. DUNSMUIR, ESQ., M. P. P.

THE UNDERSIGNED ELECTORS AND RESIdents of Nanaimo District wishing to be represented in the Provincial Parliament by gentlemen who we feel have the general welfare of the Province at heart, and believing from the large interests you have amongst us that your services will be of much value to this constituency, hereby request that you will allow yourself to be nominated as a Candidate for the representation of this District at the next Election, and we pledge ourselves to use our utmost endeavours to secure your return.

J Webb, J Pargeter, sr, W Akenhead, G Churchill, J B Greenwell, J Gordon, Thos Penny, C Bennie, R Nightingale, D Jones, J Phillips, J Dick, P Sabiston J Beck, W L LeBallister, C Blank, W H Hopkins, Jno Swift, H P Smith, W L Jeffrey, W M Burke, J T O'Brian, J Wilson, D Johnson, W Gibson, W Quinn, A Grant, H McLean, A McLeod, H McAdie. J McLeod, L Page, S Biddick, J Beaven, R Watkins, G McAllister, D S R Roberts, R P Norris, A Easson, H Bolton, J Norris, J Bolton, J Harvey, W McDonald Hugh Bolton, W Harrison, W Raybould, H G Leaycraft, T Bolton, W Isbister, R Evans, S Brightman, J J Davis, J Hoskins, jr, A D McKenzie, W Aird, J Pargeter, D Smith, F Pafford, T Akenhead, T Wilks, R Richardson, M Manley, J J Thomas, F H Pearce, R Smith, N Smith, C York, B Isom, J B Johnson, McDonald, C L Smith, S Hudson, J McIntosh, J Edwards, W Manuel, F Coyne, G Williams, E Hoskins, W Horne, R Scott, S Harrower, T Kennedy, J McNeil, J Gilmore; A Ross, L Mounce, R Beauchamp J Gillespie, John Woods, J Robson, T White, L Jones, James Reid, G Shillete, J Fraser, J Turner, Wm Hodson, W J Bailey, C McDonald and 768 others.

REPLY.

VICTORIA, 25th May, 1886.

To Mrs. J. Webb, J. Pargeter,
W. Akenhead and others.

GENTLEMEN:—Until the receipt of your numerously signed requisition it was not my intention to become a candidate for your district, for I felt that you might consider my time was so thoroughly occupied with my own business affairs that your interests could be better entrusted to other hands than my own. I cannot, however, disregard the requisition you have so kindly sent me, recognizing therein that whatever has been lacking in my efforts on your behalf you credit me in the past with good intentions, and express confidence as to my conserving your interests in the future. I cannot afford to refuse compliance with the wishes of so many who are residents of a district in which I have spent the best portion of my life and in which they and myself have a common interest. I therefore heartily thank you for the nomination and cheerfully accept it, and if elected I shall do my best to promote the well being of your constituency.

I believe that the Government which I have supported during the past four years has materially advanced the prosperity of the Province, and while their efforts are continued in the same direction, I shall, if elected, render them my independent support, believing such a course will be in the best interests of the country and in accordance with the views of the great majority of the whole people.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,

my30 R. DUNSMUIR.

TO THE ELECTORS OF

VICTORIA DISTRICT.

MR. R. F. JOHN

Will be a Candidate to represent Victoria District in the Local House at the ensuing Provincial Election. je10dw

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To all to whom these presents shall come.—GREETING.

A PROCLAMATION.

P. Æ. IRVING, *Deputy Attorney General.* } WHEREAS a Writ for the Election of a Member of the Legislative Assembly for the Electoral District of Kootenay is about to be issued;

And whereas it is expedient that the place for the nomination of Candidates in the said Electoral District should be at Donald, in the said Electoral District;

And whereas by the "Election Regulation Act, 1871," the Governor in Council is empowered, from time to time, to appoint, by Proclamation, the place for the nomination of Candidates in each Electoral District:

NOW KNOW YE, that in pursuance of the powers contained in the said Act and of all other powers and authorities in that behalf enabling, the Lieutenant-Governor in Council appoints and declares, and it is hereby appointed and declared, that Donald shall be the place for the nomination of Candidates for election to the Legislative Assembly in the Electoral District of Kootenay.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of the said Province to be hereunto affixed: WITNESS, the Honorable CLEMENT F. CORNWALL, Lieutenant-Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our said Province, this Third day of June, in the year of Our Lord One

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TABLE

SHOWING THE DATES AND PLACES OF Assize, Nisi Prius, and Oyer and Terminer, for the year 1886.

SPRING ASSIZES.

(ON VANCOUVER ISLAND.)

Victoria	Monday	3rd May
Nanaimo	Tuesday	1st June

(ON MAINLAND.)

New Westminster	Wednesday	5th May
Yale	Wednesday	26th May
Kamloops	Monday	7th June
Clinton	Monday	14th June

FALL ASSIZES,

(ON MAINLAND.)

Richfield	Monday	13th September
Clinton	Wednesday	29th September
Kamloops	Monday	4th October
Lytton	Monday	11th October
Yale	Friday	15th October
New Westminster	Wednesday	10th November

(ON VANCOUVER ISLAND.)

Victoria	Monday	22nd November
Nanaimo	Tuesday	7th December

By Command.

JNO ROBSON,
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A PROCLAMATION.

P. Æ IRVING, *Deputy Attorney-General.* } WHEREAS it is advisable to establish an additional Polling Place in the Electoral District of Cassiar:

NOW KNOW YE, that by virtue of the authority contained in the "Qualification and Registration of Voters Act, 1876," the Lieutenant-Governor in Council declares that an additional Polling Place shall be, and the same is hereby, established at the Inverness Cannery in the said Electoral District.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of the said Province to be hereunto affixed: WITNESS, the Honorable CLEMENT F. CORNWALL, Lieutenant-Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our said Province, this Third day of June, in the year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, and in the forty-ninth year of Our Reign.

By Command.

JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.

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NOTICE.

ittings of the County Court of Cariboo

WILL BE HOLDEN AT THE UNDERMENtioned places and times, viz:—

LILLOOET	On 4th June next.
CLINTON	On 17th June next.
SODA CREEK	On 30th June next.
At QUESNELLEMOUTH	On 3rd July next.
At RICHFIELD	On 8th July next.

By Command,

JNO. ROBSON,
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May 22nd, 1886. my26

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To Our faithful the Members elected to serve in the Legislative Assembly of Our Province of British Columbia, and to all whom it may concern—GREETING.

A PROCLAMATION.

ALEX. E. B. DAVIE, *Attorney-General.* } WHEREAS WE HAVE thought fit, by and with the advice and consent of Our Executive Council of Our Province of British Columbia, to dissolve the present Legislative Assembly of Our said Province, which stands prorogued until the Ninth day of the month of August next.

NOW KNOW YE, that We do, for this end, publish this Our Royal Proclamation, and do hereby dissolve the Legislative Assembly accordingly, and the Members thereof are discharged from their meeting and attendance on the said Ninth day of August next.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of British Columbia to be hereunto affixed. WITNESS, the Honorable CLEMENT F. CORNWALL, Lieutenant-Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, Our said Province, this Third day of June in the year of Our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, and in the forty ninth year of Our Reign.

By Command.

JAMES C. PREVOST,
Registrar of the Supreme Court. je6

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A PROCLAMATION.

ALEX. E. B. DAVIE, *Attorney-General.* } WHEREAS, WE ARE DEsirous and resolved, as soon may be to meet Our people of Our Province of British Columbia, and to have their advice in Our Legislature, we do make known Our Royal Will and Pleasure to call a new Legislative Assembly of Our said Province; and do further declare that, by the advice of Our Executive Council of British Columbia We have this day given orders for issuing Our Writs in due form, for calling a new Legislative Assembly for Our said Province, which Writs are to bear date on the Third day of June, instant, and to be returnable on or before the First day of September next.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent and the Public Seal of the said Province to be hereunto affixed: WITNESS the Honorable CLEMENT F. CORNWALL, Lieutenant-Governor of said Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our said Province, this Third day of June, in the year of Our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, and in the forty-ninth year of Our Reign.

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EDUCATION BRANCH OF
PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S DEPARTMENT,
May 26th, 1886.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE ANnual Examination of Candidates for Certificates of Qualification to teach in the Public Schools of the Province will be held in the Legislative Assembly Hall, Victoria, commencing at

10 A. M. ON MONDAY, JULY 5TH.

Intending Candidates are required to notify this department and furnish Testimonials prior to June 25th.

Applicants for Renewal of Certificates are hereby notified to comply with sub-section 3 of section 41 of the "Public School Act, 1885."

S. D. POPE,
my27 Superintendent of Education.

NOTICE.

TAKE NOTICE THAT I INTEND TO APPLY to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase three hundred acres of land, more or less, situated on Moresby Island, Cowichan District, being the south-eastern portion of said island. W. A. HOLLINS.

Victoria, 1st July, 1886. je26 2m

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In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF WILLIAM TURGOOSE, DECEASED.

SADLER and TURGOOSE against SANDOVER.

THE CREDITORS OF THE SAID WILLIAM Turgoose, who died at Saanich on the 22nd day of January, 1885, are, pursuant to an order of this Court, on or before the 21st day of June, 1886, to send in to James Charles Prevost, the Registrar of the Supreme Court, their Christian and surnames, addresses and description, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts and the nature of the sureties, if any, held by them.

Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Registrar of this Honorable Court on the 21st day of June, 1886, at the hour of 11 in the forenoon, at his office, James Bay, Victoria being the time appointed for adjudication on the claims.

CHARLES WILSON,
my12dw Solicitor for the Plaintiff

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A PROCLAMATION.

P. Æ. IRVING, *Deputy Attorney General.* } WHEREAS it is advisable to appoint an additional Polling Place in the Electoral District of Victoria:

NOW KNOW YE, that by virtue of the authority contained in the "Qualification and Registration of Voters Act, 1876," and of all other powers and authorities in that behalf enabling, the Lieutenant-Governor in Council declares that an additional Polling Place in the Electoral District of Victoria shall be, and the same is hereby, appointed and established at the Craigflower School House in the said Electoral District.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of the said Province to be hereunto affixed: WITNESS, the Honorable CLEMENT F. CORNWALL, Lieutenant-Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our said Province, this Third day of June, in the year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, and in the forty-ninth year of Our Reign.

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JNO. ROBSON,
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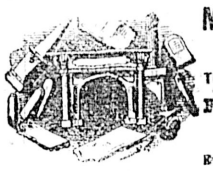

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The Committee will be glad of communications upon all matters of Colonial interest. Information will be gladly offered by the Hon. Secretary respecting Colonial Exhibition of 1886; the doings of the National Association for promoting State Directed Emigration and Colonization; the Movement for Improvement of Local Finance, and upon other matters of Colonial interest. fy15dw6f

CARD OF THANKS.

MRS. ALEXANDER, PRESIDENT OF THE Ladies' Relief Committee of Vancouver, desires to convey their thanks to Mesdames Robson, Dupont, Dunsmuir, Higgins, Gamble, Rayment, Lewis, Buttall, Engelhardt, Grant, Fletcher and a number of unknown donors, for valuable contributions of clothing for the sufferers by the late fire. je24

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